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THE WEATHER
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INDEPENDENTS QUIT GERMAN CABINET; BOLSHEVISM IS SPREADING FROM RUSSIA; ALLIES WARNED OF THE GROWING DANGER

EBERT UPHELD BY COUNCIL

Haase, Barth, and Dittmann Retire After Defeat of Their Policy.

MAY NOT ATTEMPT REVOLT

Majority Socialists Are Expected to Form Government with Aid of Liberal Bourgeoisie.

PEOPLE BITTER AT REDS

Great Demonstration Against Them Planned for Yesterday—Talk of Moving Capital.

Independents Leave Cabinet After Adverse Decision

BERLIN, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—Foreign Minister Haase, Minister of Social Policy Barth, and Demobilization Minister Dittmann retired from the Cabinet at midnight last night after the Central Council (composed of twenty-seven Majority Socialists appointed by the recent National Congress) had decided against the Independents on a majority of the questions the Independents had submitted for consideration. Premier Frederick Ebert, Finance Minister Scheidemann, and Minister of Publicity Landsberg are now in charge of the Revolutionary Government.

The impression now is that the Majority Socialists will form a new Government with the assistance of the Liberal bourgeoisie.

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BERLIN, Dec. 28, (via Copenhagen, Dec. 29.)—The co-joint session of the People's Commissioners and the Central Council began at 12 o'clock today and adjourned two hours later till 5. Ebert presided and once more recapitulated the ideas which he had already informally communicated to some of the members of the Central Council yesterday, as cabled to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

He added that the Council must make up its mind, as the Majority Socialists would only remain in the Government if the Council would take full responsibility for all measures to maintain peace, law, and order which the People's Commissioners should find necessary. He gave them clearly to understand that such measures would include energetic military preparations for making events like the sailors' revolt impossible in the future and provide ruthless punishment for all crimes against public peace. This, he said, was absolutely necessary to insure honest elections for the National Convention on Jan. 19.

After Ebert had spoken, Barth, Independent Socialist, and then Haase, were heard. Neither showed any disposition to retire, and many members of the Central Council even then still hoped to bring about a compromise between the two groups.

During the recess, however, it was rumored that most of the members had been convinced that a compromise was useless and could not possibly last till the election.

Besides, they argued, it would be impossible to obtain quiet, honest elections as long as Haase, Dittmann, and Barth remain in the Government. As their party only consented reluctantly to the national convention and tried to put the elections off as long as possible, they would certainly try to prevent any military measures which in the present circumstances seemed the only means to prevent the opponents of the national convention interfering with the elections.

Many Rumors of Trouble.

Some of the afternoon papers are almost hysterical in commenting on the situation. They mention all kinds of vague rumors of daring coups planned by the Spartacides, the most persistent being that the independents, if forced out of the Government, would, with the aid of the Spartacides, immediately form a rival Government, with Ledebour, Liebknecht, and Eichhorn. This, however, would only seem possible if the independents disregarded the advice of their own principal leaders, Haase and Dittmann.

Much fear is expressed regarding tomorrow's demonstration. In all probability, that of the Majority So-

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German Sailors Promise to Back Government; But Disorders Are Reported in Several Cities.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 29.—The Sailors' Council of the German Admiralty and the Marine General Staff have issued a declaration that they will be faithful to the Government, in view of the difficult times Germany is experiencing.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Advices from Zurich say that serious news is being received from Hamburg, Lubeck, Kiel, and Danzig, where revolutionary sailors are masters of the situation. It is also asserted that there have been sanguinary encounters in the Ruhr Basin region of West Prussia.

BASLE, Dec. 29, (Havas.)—The Cologne Gazette says arms were distributed today at Bremen to the followers of the Radical and Socialist Parties.

MENACE TO WORLD BY REDS IS SEEN

Diplomats and Others in Paris Express Much Anxiety Over the Situation.

QUICK ACTION IS URGED

Alliance Between Russian and German Bolsheviki Against All Nations Is Feared.

By WALTER DURANTY.

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PARIS, Dec. 28.—"You people are living in a Fool's Paradise. You rejoice about peace, and there is no peace. You talk of a Society of Nations and universal brotherhood, but fail to realize that just across the eastern horizon there is gathering a storm cloud that may sweep away all your rejoicing and your theories in a brotherhood of ruin."

Thus a French business man, just returned from Moscow after three months' imprisonment by the Bolsheviki, introduced his appeal against the Red Terror, which, he asserts, is spreading over Eastern Europe to an extent undreamt of by the majority of Western nations.

"What no one here in France seems to understand," he continued, "is that Bolshevism is based on a new idea—the idea of the supremacy of the underdog—just as the French Revolution was based on the idea of the rights of man and democratic freedom from despots. By this idea Bolshevism has a powerful appeal to the masses, to the shiftless and ignorant, to the exploited section of humanity. They are now preparing to enforce by numbers and by propaganda their program of a communistic world State, a revised version of the League of Nations, founded in bloodshed but based in principle on equality and perfect freedom.

Gaining Ground in Germany.

"Already they have beaten to the ground the opposition in Russia and have begun to overrun the Baltic Provinces of Poland and Eastern Germany. In Germany proper, the Bolsheviki—that is, the Spartacus adherents—are gaining ground every day, and the time approaches when the Russian and German extremists will unite in a new crusade for anarchy. That time has not yet come, but unless some action is taken by the rest of Europe, nothing can prevent it."

Exaggerated as this statement may appear at first sight, and as it seemed to me, attributable more to the sufferings which the speaker has undergone rather than founded on a dispassionate review of the situation, these views were confirmed to a great extent by the remarks of a Danish diplomat, just returned from Russia, which appeared in the evening newspaper, L'Heure, on Christmas Day. The diplomat asserted that Lenine was a man of great and unsuspected ability, who had pursued from the beginning a carefully planned course of which the present events were but the logical conclusion.

To the bourgeois and intellectual elements who had at first resisted him he gave the choice: "Obey or starve." And now those who had not starved were obeying and training soldiers or emissaries for abroad.

To believe that Bolshevism meant nothing but disorganization, he added, was to make a mistake for which the world might pay dearly in the near future. Here again one has a view

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Winter is best for the "Cure" at White Sulphur Springs. From January 1st, through sleepers from New York and return.—Advt.

GERMANS IN POSEN FIRE ON U. S. FLAG

138 Persons Reported Killed in Street Fighting That Followed Officers' Action.

POLISH GUARDS CALLED OUT

Defeat Germans After Conflict Lasting Several Hours—Protest by British Mission.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Firing by German officers on an allied automobile carrying an American flag was the cause of street fighting in Posen Friday, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Copenhagen. The Germans were defeated in the fighting. About 138 persons, including a number of women and children, were killed.

The dispatch says:

"There was severe fighting between the Poles and Germans in Posen Friday, which resulted in thirty-eight women and children and about 100 Germans and Polanders being killed. The affray originated as a result of German officers firing on an allied automobile which was proceeding to Warsaw carrying the American flag.

"The Germans insulted the flag and the Polish Guard was called out. The fighting lasted several hours and the Germans were defeated.

"A delegation from the British Mission to Posen protested to the German commander in the town, General Schimmelfeng, but the German officer declared that he had no control over the soldiers."

An Associated Press dispatch from Warsaw quotes a Polish official report concerning the riot. It says:

"The trouble began when allied and American flags were hoisted over the City Hall.

"The Germans demanded that the flags be hauled down. The Poles refused to acquiesce, whereupon the Germans brought up machine guns and began firing in the streets, driving back the crowds and dispersing the Polish troops.

"Finally the German officials took down the flags. Meanwhile the Poles reassembled and began to return the German fire. The fighting continued from 2 o'clock in the afternoon to 7 o'clock.

"The Germans provoked another incident by trying to prevent Paderewski from circulating in the streets. They called on the British Colonel Wade and told him that if Paderewski was permitted to go about it would be the cause of trouble between the Polish and German populations. Colonel Wade made no answer. He merely turned his back on the Germans and got into a motor car with Paderewski.

"The arrival of Paderewski and British and American officers has created much enthusiasm here. The hope is expressed that their arrival will stamp out Bolshevism and prevent anticipated trouble in Warsaw."

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BERLIN, Dec. 29.—The Lokal-Anzeiger publishes the following account of the riots in Posen:

"On Thursday at 5 P. M. an automobile containing the Entente Commission and flying the American flag entered Posen traveling in the direction of Warsaw. Young men dressed in German officers' uniforms tore the flag down and then shot at the auto. The Germans believe they were really Poles disguised who wished to discredit the Germans.

"Almost immediately the Polish Civil Guards were alarmed, and the Germans and Poles began to shoot at one another until nearly midnight, killing thirty-eight women and children and 100 men of both nationalities.

"Soon after the automobile was attacked, an officer of the Polish Guards came from the castle announcing, 'Posen is now part of old Poland.' The same night the German Workers' and Soldiers' Council declared the telegraph office abolished. All other public buildings are in possession of the Poles.

"Friday morning there was also shooting at the railway station. All trains arriving from the German front were stopped, and the soldiers were compelled to give up their arms and equipment. The soldiers in one train hesitated, but the Poles at once began to shoot and one man is said to have been killed."

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Conscience Is to be Enthroned and Rule the World, Says Wilson

CARLISLE, England, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—In his brief address at the Lowther Street Congregational Church today President Wilson said:

"It is with unaffected reluctance that I inject myself into this service. I remember my grandfather very well, and, remembering him, I can see how he would not approve. I remember what he required of me and remember the stern lesson of duty he spoke. And I remember painfully about things he expected me to know that I did not know. There has come a change of times, when laymen like myself are permitted to speak in a congregation.

"There is another reason why I was reluctant to speak. The feelings excited in me today are really too intimate and too deep to permit of public expression. The memories that have come of the mother who was born here are very affecting. Her quiet character, her sense of duty, and her dislike of ostentation have come back to me with increasing force as these years of duty have accumulated.

"Yet perhaps it is appropriate that in a place of worship I should acknowledge my indebtedness to her and her remarkable father, because, after all, what the world now is seeking to do is to return to the paths of duty, to turn from the savagery of interests to the dignity of the performance of right.

"I believe, as this war has drawn nations temporarily together in a combination of physical force, we shall now be drawn together in a combination of moral force that is irresistible. It is moral force as much as physical force that has defeated the effort to subdue the world. Words have cut as deep as swords.

"The knowledge that wrong has been attempted has aroused the nations. They have gone out like men for a crusade. No other cause could have drawn so many of the nations together. They knew an outlaw was abroad and that the outlaw purposed unspeakable things.

"It is from quiet places like this all over the world that the forces are accumulated that presently will overpower any attempt to accomplish evil on a great scale. It is like the rivulet that gathers into the river and the river that goes to the sea. So there come out of communities like these streams that fertilize the conscience of men, and it is the conscience of the world we now mean to place upon the throne which others tried to usurp."

Wilson Visits Grandfather's Church; Cheered in Carlisle and Manchester

Enthusiastic Crowds and Civic and Church Dignitaries Extend Welcome to Him—He Views His Mother's Old Home and Makes Speech to the Congregation.

CARLISLE, England, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—President Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, came to Carlisle today in rain and a cold, penetrating mist to visit the girlhood home of his mother. But the warmth of the greeting of the people of the town and of the thousands of strangers from the surrounding country more than offset the dreariness of the weather.

Large crowds lined the streets and cheered the Presidential party lustily as it drove from the station, where the President was received by Mayor Bertram Carr and other local notables, to the Crown and Mitre Hotel, where the President signed the freemen's roll.

The President visited Annetwell Street, where the site of his late grandfather's chapel was pointed out to him, and the house in Cavendish Place that was built by his grandfather. Later he attended services in the Lowther Street Congregational Church.

Here, in the course of the services, the Rev. Edward Booth, pastor of the church, requested the President to address the assemblage. This the President did, delivering a short speech, in which he referred simply but eloquently to his mother.

The Presidential train arrived at the Citadel station on schedule time this morning. Besides Mayor Carr, the Lady Mayoress, Miss Eleanor Carr, Major Gen. Sir John Cowan, and the High Sheriff were on the platform when President Wilson alighted. After the presentations, Miss Carr gave Mrs. Wilson a huge bouquet.

The Presidential party was then conducted to the entrance of the station, where the square was thronged with people, who burst into hearty cheers, which lasted for some moments. The Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack were hoisted on the tower of the Law Courts as the party emerged from the station.

Meets His Grandfather's Pupil.

The rain continued to fall, but the crowds in the streets cheered President Wilson all the way to the Crown and Mitre Hotel, where other prominent citizens were waiting to receive the noted guest. Here Thomas Watson, an aged house painter and the last living pupil of the school of President Wilson's grandfather, was introduced to the President.

Grasping the old man's hand, the President asked: "You remember my grandfather?"

"I'm afraid not. I was rather a small fellow,' replied the old man, shyly.

President Wilson inspected documents dealing with the residence here of his grandfather, the Rev. Mr. Thomas Woodrow, and then drove to the Salvation Army Hall, where once stood the building that was the President's mother's home. From here he visited the Cavendish house, in Warwick Road, which was built by his grandfather and in which his grandfather taught school and the President's mother also lived for a while. The President remained here for ten minutes, and proceeded to the Lowther Street Congregational Church, which was crowded.

The congregation rose as the President and his party entered and were conducted to the front pew. As the party walked down the aisle the organist played "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," which was listed on the program as "the American national anthem."

The Rev. Mr. Booth entered the pulpit, accompanied by the Bishop of Carlisle. Mr. Booth gave the invocation, and the choir and the congregation sang the hymn, "Before Jehovah's Awful Throne." President Wilson joined in the singing.

Mr. Booth read as the first lesson from the sixth chapter of Isaiah, and the choir chanted "Oh, Sing Unto the Lord a New Song." The Bishop of Carlisle read the second lesson, which was from the second chapter of Luke—the story of Christ questioning the doctors in the Temple.

Then followed another hymn, and the Rev. Mr. Booth afterward prayed for the King and the President and his family and also for a lasting peace. The congregation then sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and Mr. Booth delivered his sermon.

"I feel great pride," the pastor said in part, "that the great and honored leader of the American people should have left the company of kings and set aside important functions to travel to this border city in which his mother was born to attend, as a humble worshipper, the church over which his grandfather once presided. Such action reveals his character. It is a great spectacle for the world.

"Mr. President, two-thirds of your name belongs here, as the words 'Thomas Woodrow' were inscribed on the church roll ninety-eight years ago. From then until 1835 he taught the church the word of God. He gathered around him a devoted band of people who learned to do righteously. Here his children, among them your sainted mother, learned to sing their hymns and to fear God. Hence the peculiar gratification their church felt and expressed on your election to your high and honorable office, and which has deepened in the course of the eventful years of your Presidency."

The Rev. Mr. Booth reviewed the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers and the establishment of religious liberty in America.

"These men," he said, "laid the foundations for that great love of liberty and justice which has made the American people and which has found such practical expression in so signally helping to the great victory in the European struggle against oppression and wrong. Is it not a further manifestation of the same spirit which, in the Providence of God, is leading the world's conscience in its groping after universal peace?

"Mr. President, our prayers for you ascend; our love to you is given, and our praise of you shall be sounded as long as we have breath.

"We all want to hear your voice. Won't you say a few words to us?"

President Wilson hesitated a moment and then answered "Yes, Sir," and walked to a place in front of the choir, where he spoke briefly. (The text of his speech is printed above.)

The President was visibly affected as he resumed his seat after his address.

The Bishop of Carlisle then read an address in which he thanked the President for his visit "to your ancestral city and for your presence at our worship in this sacred house, hallowed to you by association and bonds of filial piety."

"We recognize, with the whole of the God-fearing world," the Bishop continued, "the splendor of your ideals and the greatness of your achievements on behalf of humanity for the promotion of righteous freedom; of the blessings of peace and international brotherhood among men. We thank God that He has endowed in you the purpose and the power to bring these divine ideals to the entrance gate of practical realization, and that He has sustained you by the mighty concord of the American people in association with ourselves and our allies.

"We feel it of priceless benefit to mankind that amid all the cares and burdens pressing upon you in this fateful hour you found time to come to the city of your grandfather's min-

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FRANCE RESERVES RIGHT TO FIX FRONTIER; FOR PEACE LEAGUE AND FULL PUBLICITY; ITALIANS ALSO BACK WORLD UNION IDEA

Italian Commission Supports the World League Idea, But Sonnino's Organ Says Dalmatia Must Be 'Saved'

ROME, Dec. 29.—The After-the-War Commission, which, at the Government's request, examined into plans for constituting a society of nations, has reported in favor of the constitution of such a body.

The report of the commission considers such a plan the best method for preventing conflicts.

The Giornale d'Italia, organ of Baron Sonnino, the Foreign Minister, discusses at length today the dissensions which led to the resignation of Leonida Bissolati, Socialist Minister of Military Aid and War Pensions. The newspaper says that Signor Bissolati showed himself opposed to the establishment of the Italian Alpine frontier at Brennero Pass, Southern Tyrol, and was willing to leave Dalmatia to the Croatians, thus abandoning to their fate Italians who since 1866 had been endeavoring to regain their nationality.

"The Italian people is not of the same opinion," the Giornale continues. "We must not only save Northern Dalmatia, but also the wholly Italian city of Fiume. Premier Orlando has a road clearly defined before him for arranging with a strong hand a reconstitution of the Cabinet in accordance with the necessities of the present hour."

CECIL HOPEFUL OF PEACE LEAGUE

British Delegate Says, However, That Nations Must Put Aside Selfishness.

SEES MANY OBSTACLES

But Believes the First Object Should Be to Put an End to Causes of War.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Lord Robert Cecil, who is to deal at the peace congress with questions affecting a League of Nations, in an interview by a correspondent of The Observer, after affirming the necessity for carrying the principle of a League of Nations into effect, dealt with what he termed the difficulties connected with the details of such a plan.

"The moment you try to devise the machinery of a League of Nations," he said, "you are struck by the existence of complete international anarchy. The great difficulty in providing an alternative to war lies in the difficulty of providing effective action to compel obedience to any regulations which may be made on the subject.

"If there existed any system of international co-operation with formal, or even informal regulations, this difficulty would be easily surmounted. It is therefore a mistake to look upon the prevention of war as the sole function of nations. The essential thing is to obtain recognition for the fact that the interests of humanity as a whole really exist. We have to work in order that the nations shall not forget that they are a part of one another.

"Any one who makes an attempt to sketch out the terms of the peace settlement will meet at every turn problems that can only be solved by international co-operation. Take, for instance, the tropical countries inhabited by babarous populations. In a world ruled by international co-operation it will be realized that such countries must be administered for the benefit of their own people and their products made available for the whole world. If this is done it will matter little by which nation they are administered.

"In the case of the vast countries of Asia without good government, in the period before independence can be exercised there must be assistance from the outside, and this is bound to lead to international difficulties unless some power is intrusted by the nations of the world with the duty of providing this assistance.

"International waterways will be more important under any future settlement in Europe than in the past. More than one case can be cited besides the Dardanelles and the Danube, where possession by one power of means of access to the ocean of another power has been a contributory cause to European unrest. The Danube has been regulated by an international commission. With a League of Nations there is no reason why all other similar problems should not be similarly disposed of.

"As to the most difficult question of all, namely, disarmament, nothing can be done unless joint action by all nations of the world is assured; unless it is realized that the interests of humanity are greater than the interests of any one nation.

"If the nations can be persuaded to put away their excessive individualism, if international co-operation becomes a real force, then there is hope that we can establish the machinery which will be an effective safeguard against war, and even diminish and render relatively innocuous the causes of international quarrels."

WILSON SUBMITS PLAN TO AVERT FAMINE

Said to Have Indorsed Scheme of Hoover and Others to Relieve Central Empires.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Express understands that President Wilson, who has been giving considerable personal attention during his visit to Europe to the question of fighting famine in the Central Empires, has indorsed and submitted to the Allies a definite plan for relief formulated by his advisers, including Herbert Hoover.

It is felt that the need of some action is imperative. President Wilson favors the immediate appointment of a Director General of Relief for Europe, supplementing the work of the Inter-Allied Food Council.

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FRANCE SHIFTING TO WILSON VIEWS

But Still Adheres to Hope of Fixing Peace Terms Before Taking Up World League.

ITALY PRESENTS PROBLEM

Likely to Seek to Have America Settle the Differences with the Jugoslavs.

By CHARLES A. SELDEN.

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PARIS, Dec. 28.—Whatever disagreements or harmonies may develop later on in settling the main points of the peace negotiations, there is a radical difference of opinion now as to the best way of approach and the best sequence in which the several problems may be taken up. The difference may be most clearly stated in this form:

"Shall the League of Nations be considered a cardinal matter and among the first things to be settled, or a sort of afterthought to be discussed after Germany and her former allies have been compelled to sign the peace treaty in the formulation of which they will have no participation?"

America and France at the present moment represent the opposite ends of that question, and there is interesting speculation as to how England and Italy will line up.

The first of the week I cabled the French idea as to the best chronology of the peace proceedings. It began with the determination by the Big Four, America, England, France, and Italy, acting by themselves, as to what the principal peace terms must be.

Next, the smaller belligerent nations were to have the opportunity to put into these terms what they desired, if their desires were not contrary to the wishes of the Big Four.

Third, the finished peace treaty, providing, among other things, the new restricted boundaries for Germany, was to be submitted to Germany to sign or reject without the right to modify. Then the same measures were to be taken with the signing by Bulgaria, Turkey, and Austria-Hungary.

That would end the Peace Conference proper. After that would come the general congress of nations for the discussion of the League of Nations.

League First With Wilson.

That is the plan as desired by the French up to the present moment.

It is distinctly not the American plan, as desired by President Wilson and his associates. The American plan is practically to reverse the French scheme. It would put the League of Nations well to the front instead of relegating it to the background. It would base that part of the peace treaty which has to do with the new boundaries of Germany and other countries on the principles set forth in the accepted League of Nations agreement, rather than have these boundaries fixed first and arbitrarily by the Big Four, regardless of the other nations.

That briefly suggests one main point of difference between France and America. It is needless to say in this connection of boundaries that it makes no difference as to Alsace-Lorraine.

Before President Wilson arrived here the feeling was that France would have her own way, but now there is a marked change of opinion. If Mr. Wilson is not yet looked upon

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PICHON OUTLINES AIMS

France Not for Annexations, but Would Set Border Lines Herself.

FOR ACTION TO AID RUSSIA

French Would Not Take Offensive, but Support Russians Against Reds.

SOCIALIST STORM IN HOUSE

Franklin-Bouillon Would Recover Sarre Mines and Disarm Germany Along Rhine.

PARIS, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—The storm which had been threatening in the French Chamber of Deputies for the last four days, broke this afternoon, when Stephen Pichon, Minister of Foreign Affairs, amid violent interruptions by the Socialists and counterdemonstrations by the Government supporters, outlined France's peace terms.

It had been evident for the last week that the opponents of Premier Clemenceau were determined to obstruct in every possible way the voting of the budget of 10,500,000,000 francs for the first three months of 1919 unless the Government stated its peace terms either through Premier Clemenceau or M. Pichon. But it was not expected that the Government would do so before Monday.

Since Thursday the Government bench had sat in obdurate silence, refusing to reply to any queries; but when M. Pichon ascended the tribune this afternoon he was ready to answer. He declared:

First—That the Government was in accord that the utmost publicity should be given to the Peace Conference, thus replying to the interpellation of the Socialist Deputy, Marcel Cachin, last Friday, when he asked Premier Clemenceau to state whether secret diplomacy would be abandoned in the Peace Conference and all publicity given to the discussion.

Second—That the French Government had adopted the principle of a League of Nations and was now busy working toward its effective realization, thus replying to the interpellation of the Socialist, M. Bracke.

Third—That the Government did not desire any annexation, but reserved the right to fix the Alsace-Lorraine frontiers, to guard against future attack, thus replying to M. Franklin-Bouillon, Vice President of the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Fourth—That the Government did not think that the question of diplomatic representation of the Vatican arose at the present moment.

Fifth—That intervention in Russia was inevitable.

Upon Russian intervention, M. Pichon explained, reading from instructions issued by Premier Clemenceau to the General commanding, that such intervention was not offensive for the time being, but defensive, in order to prevent the Bolsheviki from invading the Ukraine, the Caucasus, and Western Siberia. In the future an offensive intervention might be necessary in order to destroy Bolshevism. Such an operation must be carried out by Russian troops, of which 100,000 were at the present time ready at Odessa.

M. Pichon announced that Russian troops had captured Perm from the Bolsheviki, taking 18,000 prisoners, a capture previously reported in press dispatches.

Socialists Disorderly.

While M. Pichon was reading M. Clemenceau's instructions, pandemonium broke loose on the Socialist bench.

"The war is beginning anew!" they shouted. M. Deschanel, President of the Chamber, threatened to have one of the most unruly of the Socialist members ejected.

M. Pichon weathered the storm calmly. He refused peremptorily to answer whether the French Government was prepared at the present time to make public the names of its delegates to the Peace Conference. The Chamber must give the Government its confidence, he said.

The Chamber was again in an uproar, in which it was noted that others joined with the Socialists.

The storm was precipitated by M. Franklin-Bouillon, who made a violent attack on M. Pichon and the Government's foreign policy.

In a discussion of provisional credits, M. Franklin-Bouillon said the question of Alsace-Lorraine and of the Sarre Basin, according to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, formed one problem for settlement.

"It cannot be admitted," said M. Franklin-Bouillon, "that we should not take back the mines of the Sarre that Prussia stole from us in 1815, as she stole Alsace-Lorraine in 1871. On the other hand, the committee is opposed to the making of men citizens against their will."

Disarmament Along Rhine.

The speaker declared that the committee was unanimous that the land on the left bank of the Rhine must be used no more for enemy concentrations against France.

"Not a soldier nor a fort must remain on the left bank of the Rhine, or in a zone forty kilometers from the right bank."

Concerning Russia, the speaker said he thought intervention necessary, but it should not be purely militaristic.

"Our allies should contribute to this intervention on a larger scale than we," he continued, "because of our sacrifices. We could participate by giving a staff of officers and volunteers with high pay."

The Chamber met again this evening, as the budget must be voted before midnight, Dec. 31, by both the Chamber and the Senate. There were three sessions today. Two had been held every day last week, but only one vote on strict party lines was taken. This was Friday, when the Government did not lose any strength, despite the widely advertised onslaught of its opponents.

Perm, the capture of which M. Pichon officially announced, is the capital of the Government of Perm and is the starting point of the Northern Siberian Railway. It is the chief prison depot for the transport of convicts under exile to Siberia and is a depot for goods sent to and imported from Siberia.

ROAD SEEMS CLEAR FORLEAGUE OF NATIONS

American Peace Delegates Now Look for Speedy and Definite Action.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—American delegates to the Peace Congress expressed gratification tonight over the unqualified statement in the Chamber of Deputies today by Stephen Pichon, Minister of Foreign Affairs, that France had adopted the principle of a League of Nations and was busy working toward its realization, and also that France stood for the utmost publicity at the conference.

Following President Wilson's statement in his speech in the Guildhall in London, that British leaders had agreed to accept his peace principles, M. Pichon's declaration was thought to remove the cloud of obscurity that had hovered over the preliminaries of the Peace Conference.

President Wilson's statement in the Guildhall, taken with the developments of the last few days, it is asserted in high quarters, will result in a definite and speedy disposition of the main points of the question of a League of Nations.

France will probably name her delegates to the conference within a few days, and the American representatives express the hope that the first formal session will be held soon after President Wilson's return from Italy, probably about Jan. 10.

FAREWELL DINNER TONIGHT.

Thirty Guests to Honor Mr. and Mrs. Wilson at Buckingham Palace.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Arrangements for a private dinner for President and Mrs. Wilson and King George and Queen Mary Monday night on the President's return from Manchester have been changed.

The function will be a farewell dinner in honor of the President and Mrs. Wilson. It will be given in the State dining room in Buckingham Palace, and about thirty guests will attend it.

No Diplomatic White Book from Pope.

ROME, Dec. 29, (Havas.)—The Giornale D'Italia asserts that the Vatican has decided not to publish a White Book dealing with the Pope's diplomatic action during the war. The newspaper adds that the White Book will relate only to the Pontiff's humanitarian efforts during the period of hostilities.

SINCERITY MARKS WILSON WELCOME

Manchester's Greeting Maintains the High Level of Popular Enthusiasm.

UNSTUDIED SHOW OF AMITY

Anglo-American Entente Is in Evidence Even When the President Is Not Present.

By RICHARD V. OULAHAN.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MANCHESTER, Dec. 29.—President Wilson is spending the night in this great industrial city, where tomorrow he will receive a formal welcome from the municipal authorities. The official reception today was cordial, but it cannot be compared in significance with that which will be accorded tomorrow by the people of this populous Midland section, the number of whose inhabitants exceeds that of the metropolitan area. After the remarkable demonstration in the President's honor on his arrival in Manchester this evening—a demonstration which was entirely unstaged—it is certain that the formal welcome will be as cordial as that which London gave him.

England seems filled with the spirit of hospitality that comes from the heart and not from mere politeness or expediency. It is not going too far to say that British officials are as much gratified as the President over the way in which he has been made to feel that the part played by the United States in the war is not forgotten, and that he is regarded as the personification of the ideals to which the free peoples are bound. The cheers that marked his progress through the streets of London on all occasions when he was in the public view seemed to have a depth of feeling betokening genuineness. Englishmen and Englishwomen everywhere agree that London has never before shown such enthusiasm in greeting a distinguished foreigner. Whether this statement is correct or not, the fact remains that everybody believes it.

An Englishman tells you that he is an unemotional person and expresses surprise that he let himself loose on the occasion of the visit of the head of a democratic nation across the seas. Lloyd George and Balfour have done their part in conforming to the spirit of cordial feeling demonstrated in the welcome that has come from the man in the street. The semi-official statement that no fundamental differences exist over the peace terms as the result of several long conferences on Friday and Saturday between the President and the chief British representatives indicates how completely the sentiment existed on both sides that the cause involved was too great to permit dissension. Behind the whole situation, judged by all that is said and known to have taken place, stands the desire for cordial relationship between the two nations whose principles in peace and war are fundamentally the same.

It is true that no intimate explanation is yet obtainable of exactly what has been accomplished in the conferences at Buckingham Palace and the Prime Minister's residence. Specifications are lacking as to how this or that important question was disposed of, but the statements obtained seem to leave no room for doubt that a working understanding has been reached which will make easier an agreement on the details of settlement for inclusion in the final draft of the peace treaty.

The knowledge that Lloyd George showed full accord with the President's view that a plan for the organization of a League of Nations should be included in the treaty proper, instead of being left for consideration in a supplementary conference, furnished a clue to the cordiality which is understood to have marked the conversations.

Demonstration in a Theatre.

The desire manifested everywhere in England to make President Wilson feel that he is more than welcome has found expression mainly on the occasions when he was present; but other incidents occurring without the presence of the President to stir the feelings show even more plainly that the English people wish closer unity with America.

One such incident took place Saturday night in the presence of his Majesty at a theatre in London in the course of the performance of "Chu Chin Chow." The King and Queen and the Queen of Norway occupied the royal box, their guests, the President of the United States and his wife, having gone to dinner at Premier Lloyd George's residence. Toward the end of the performance what is known as a parade of nations was introduced, with women carrying the standards of the allied countries appearing in turn. The first was a handsome young Amazon bearing the flag of one of the smaller nations which had been at war with Germany. The applause was generous, and a disposition was shown by some in the audience to rise when the national anthem of that country was played by the orchestra. It is not customary, however, to pay this tribute of respect when a national anthem is rendered as part of a medley, so the audience kept their seats.

Each allied flag got a hearty round of handclapping as it was borne across the stage, but the outburst was loudest when the Stars and Stripes appeared. Then the handclapping gave way to cheering, and soon the people in the crowded house gave way to their enthusiasm. Some young American officers in the front row, evidently uncertain whether the regulation to rise when "The Star-Spangled Banner" was played applied to this case, finally followed the Hoyle rule as to doubt and came to their feet.

The audience, which seemed to be hoping for that very outcome, rose also, and the enthusiasm became even greater. The King and Queen and the Queen of Norway followed their example. It was a remarkable demonstration of friendly feeling for America.

When Great Britain's representative marched on the stage the audience rose as if by a common impulse, and everybody sang "God Save the King!" with eyes lifted toward the box where Britain's sovereign stood in acknowledgment, his face grave, but not concealing the fact that he was deeply touched.

The press echoes the sentiments of cordiality toward the President and America shown by the enthusiasm of the London street crowds.

"We think," says The Observer in an editorial that is typical of the general expressions, "that the opportunity was what the British people have been half-consciously waiting for through the best part of a century."

Mrs. Wilson has also made a splendid impression. Those who saw her Saturday at the Guildhall ceremonies were impressed by her dignity and personal attractiveness.

FRANCE SHIFTING TO WILSON'S VIEWS

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as a certain winner, he surely is no longer regarded as a certain loser.

Whatever changes are now taking place in French politics all favor Wilson. No Government can ignore the tremendous reception of the French people to the American President.

The solution of these difficulties cannot be looked for in any such simple device as voting by delegates. Each group of five representing a given country will act as a unit on all matters. So the matter must be thrashed out between nations on a give-and-take basis.

Must Solve Jugoslav Problem.

The suggestion now is that England sides with America. That would leave to Italy the settlement for or against France.

That brings one to another phase, which has to do with Italy's effort to get America to act in the preliminary conferences as a mediator between Italy and the Jugoslavs in their dispute over the east coast of the Adriatic. The two nations are at odds now over that question, and there is daily danger of clashes between their troops. The Jugoslavs want Trieste, Fiume, and the coast south of those ports. Italy now intimates a willingness to give the Jugoslavs commercial harbor rights in the use of Fiume and to yield outright sections of Dalmatia, excepting the port of Zara. The Jugoslavs naturally want much more, and were led to believe before the war ended that they would be supported by all the Allies except Italy.

Now America is asked to solve this difficulty. If she can do it with fairness to the Jugoslavs, at the same time satisfying Italy, the latter country will probably support America on such matters as the League of Nations.

WILSON MAY GO TO GENOA.

Hopes to Visit House Where Columbus Was Born.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MILAN, Dec. 29.—Genoese journals say that President Wilson has expressed a desire that during his visit to Italy he might make a pilgrimage to the house where Christopher Columbus was born; also to the tomb of Mazzini, whom the President regards as the great precursor of his ideals.

The Genoa municipality is preparing a sumptuously bound edition of Mazzini's works for presentation to the President.

CARLISLE HAILS PRESIDENT

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istry and the birthplace of your sainted mother. May you, Sir, and your consort be brought in safety back to your beloved land. God bless and guide you, Sir."

The service concluded with the singing of "God Save the King." After the benediction President Wilson was taken to the pastor's study, where he signed the register and sat in the mahogany leather-upholstered chair once his grandfather's. Then he returned to the church, where the congregation was still standing, and passed down the aisle and out of the door amid applause.

In the course of a conversation the President found occasion to recall how his mother narrowly escaped being drowned on her way to America.

"I will tell you," he said, "how nearly this ceremony came to not taking place. My mother was playing on a rope on the ship while sailing for America, and a sudden lurch nearly threw her overboard. She swung far out over the water, but luckily for me she hung on and wasn't drowned."

It was still raining as the President drove back to the Crown and Mitre Hotel. Here he remained until 1 o'clock, when he drove to the station. He said good-bye at the door of his railway carriage to the notables who had come to the station to bid him farewell. The President was cheered as the train at 1:15 P. M. departed for Manchester.

Lustily Cheered in Manchester.

MANCHESTER, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—President and Mrs. Wilson were greeted on their arrival here at 5 o'clock this afternoon by thousands who filled the streets to overflowing on the half-mile journey from the station to the official residence of the Lord Mayor and by many more thousands who were packed together in the huge square in front of the Town Hall. They cheered lustily from the time the President's car started through the troop-lined thoroughfares until he disappeared within the imposing edifice.

The Presidential party alighted in the decorated station, which was ablaze with lights that set off the crimson carpet on the platform, the rows of palms and masses of bunting, the scarlet robes of Lord Mayor Seagure, the huge white wigs and full dress of the high city officials and the portly, florid, white-mustached macebearer, who was quite a favorite with the American troops during the wait for the train.

The President greeted and chatted briefly with the Lord Mayor and other officials. He then inspected the British guard of honor under Lieut. Gen. Snow, and F and G Companies of the 162d American Regiment from Liverpool.

After posing for two flashlights the Presidential party started for the Town Hall amid continuous cheers. For two days, until late this afternoon, rain had fallen very heavily, but the weather still favored the President, for it cleared a little while before his arrival. Nevertheless closed automobiles instead of open carriages were used. These were decorated with American and British flags.

The Lord Mayor and the Town Clerk rode with the President in the first car, while Mrs. Wilson accompanied the Lady Mayoress. Others in the party were Rear Admiral Grayson, Brig. Gen. Harts, Vice Admiral Sims, Major Gen. Biddle, the American Ambassador and Mrs. John W. Davis, the American Consul, Ross E. Holaday; Lieut. Gen. Snow, the Deputy Mayor, and the Town Councilors.

The President and Mrs. Wilson spent the night quietly as the guests of the Lord Mayor. Mr. Wilson had no engagements and had made no speeches.

FIGHT INDIAN STYLE IN NORTH RUSSIA

Americans in the Dvina River Outpost Track Bolshevist Foe Through the Snow.

MAKE RAIDS ON CONEY ISLE

Billeted with Peasant Families, They Play with the Children and Help Grandmother.

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AN AMERICAN OUTPOST IN NORTHERN RUSSIA, Dec. 13, (By courier to Archangel, then by telegraph to Paris, Dec. 29.)—In this little group of four peasant villages, stretching for two miles on the west bank of the Dvina River, more than 200 miles south of Archangel, American troops are holding the extreme outposts of the allied front.

In the four tiny villages there probably are sixty log houses, in each of which Americans are billeted. A single narrow street, paralleling the river, runs through the four towns, which are stuck close together and really are but one continuous village.

In the middle of the river opposite the towns stretches a long flat island, dubbed by the Americans "Coney Island." For generations the peasants have turned its swampy acres into hayfields, and when the river freezes they move the haystacks on sleds.

Lying as it does in the middle of No Man's Land, between the Bolsheviki and the American, the battle of "Coney Island" goes on more or less continuously, with the transport limited to the native horses and sleds; hay for the animals is an almost priceless necessity. On the moonlight nights the peasant caravans go haying in fine old-fashioned sorties.

Last night an American party had hidden on the river bank until some twenty sleds from the Bolshevist side were loaded and ready to start. They suddenly swept down, capturing the entire lot and bringing back the booty. Early this morning, with the hay unloaded, the horses and sleds were turned loose and started down the road towards the Bolshevist peasant owners. The horses belonged to the natives, but the hay would have been used for the Bolshevist transport purposes. Now it will feed the horses bringing "canned willie" and clothing to our troops.

Community Blockhouse Defenses.

The fighting here is more like the old Indian warfare of half a century ago. Just as in the olden frontier days, faith of the defense is placed in community blockhouses, guarding the outpost villages and the few roads and rivers running through our 400-mile front. However, instead of poisoned arrows or flaming firearms, the Bolsheviki artillery pounds the thick walls and triple roofs and the defenders use Vickers' guns in place of muzzle-loading squirrel rifles.

But the spirit and the style of fighting is the same. Patrols sneak out and burn the single blockhouses, breaking trails through the virgin woods. Parties follow the enemy groups by snow tracks, and the men are left to their own cunning and resources. It is a strange style of fighting, and still stranger is the environment into which our soldiers from the Middle West are thrown.

Billeted in the homes of peasants, a squad of soldiers probably commandeer one room, but they are thrown into constant and intimate contact with the household, and the kitchen becomes the loafing place. The family stove, built like an old-fashioned Dutch oven, takes up a third of the room, and in the remaining space are probably half a dozen children and six or eight adults.

The great, thick log walls, with their tiny double storm windows and with a double or treble system of doors, keeps sacred the stale, foul air and the myriad odors of which a circus would be proud. For eight months no windows are opened and the door is guarded like a bank safe. Any daring breath of fresh air that might venture inside would instantly roll over on its back and expire without a struggle.

In a far corner it is possible that a cradle is suspende from the end of a long pole so that the cradle, bounced by a string up and down by an older child, lulls, the latest infant asleep. The grandmother deftly pats out the tiny loaves of black bread, shooting them into the oven with a long paddle like a professional baker. Around the wall bench sit the men folks, enjoying a gift of cigarettes. Most of the women are outdoors hauling fertilizer into the poor fields, but there not being sufficient horses to go around, father rests in the fetid atmosphere of the kitchen.

In such strange surroundings the American soldiers are living and thriving. Wonderful is the Russian language that they talk, but as the American soldiers always adapt themselves quickly anywhere in the world, these boys in far away Russia are playing big brother to the kiddies and help the grandmother sew on the buttons.

The fresh vegetables which the ration allowance lacks they trade cigarettes and sugar for. This is against the army regulations, but so are many other things against the army regulations. Out here cigarettes are worth a ruble each, roughly 10 cents. The army allowance is fifty cigarettes weekly, and each man is allowed to purchase at the Y. M. C. A. two packages more weekly, so that there are ways and means to do trading.

Rations Good, Equipment Warm.

Over much of this part of Russia the American troops are living in this sort of billets. Their rations are good and they are well clothed. They have overshoes and especially made arctic boots of heavy fleece-lined canvas, with rubber soles, called the Shackleton boot, which are worn with knee-high wool stockings. Great brown waterproof canvas and sheep-lined overcoats, topped with an immense fur cap and with warm mittens make up the arctic equipment.

The long Russian rifle with its two-foot bayonet causes sighs for the beloved Enfield or Springfield, but, all in all, the men are well looked after physically.

The different sectors vary slightly as to the billeting, but altogether they are very satisfactory. However, to give the soldiers the proper mental attitude has been most difficult throughout the entire expedition. The Allies had occupied the district a month before the American troopships arrived at Archangel on Sept. 4, and the military conditions were such that it was necessary to rush one battalion of American troops up the river, a second battalion down the railroad, a third remaining at Archangel.

On the trip from England influenza broke out on shipboard and at the time of the landing the epidemic was at its height. A number of men succumbed to the disease, causing much gloom.

Some bitter fighting in the early days against the vastly superior numbers of the enemy brought slight reverses. The signing of the armistice confused certain former ideas of the expedition's purpose in Russia, but the American soldiers are carrying on with a high courage.

The Paris conference, they are certain, will bring a decision regarding future action in Russia, and they are eagerly awaiting a new statement from President Wilson concerning America's future Russian policy. Their confidence and faith in the President are supreme and full.

Want Troops Brought Back.

DETROIT, Dec. 29.—A protest against the retention in Northern Russia, in the face of overwhelming odds, of the 339th Regiment of Infantry, (Michigan men,) will be drafted at a mass meeting which Mayor Oscar Marx of Detroit announced tonight he would call this week.

It is contended that the regiment comprises the greater part of the allied force fighting against the Bolsheviki south of Archangel, and its annihilation is feared. Relief or the establishment of a larger base will be asked. Hundreds of telegrams of protest have been sent to Michigan members of Congress.

BRITISH ELECTION RETURNS COMPLETE

Coalition Majority in Commons Is 235, and with Unionist Support 327.

WOMEN PROVE BIG FACTOR

Triumph of Lloyd George Government Also Ascribed Largely to Soldier and Labor Vote.

LONDON, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—Complete returns from the elections for the new House of Commons give the following results:

Coalition.	
Coalition Unionists	334
Coalition Liberals	127
Coalition Labor	10
Total coalitionists	471
Other Parties.	
Unionists	46
Asquith Liberals	37
Labor	65
National Party	2
Socialist	1
Irish Nationalists	7
Sinn Feiners	73
Independents	5
Total of other parties	236
Coalition majority	235
Coalition majority with 46 Unionists	327
Grand Total	707

All coalitionists, with the Unionists and the National Party, may be regarded roughly as supporting Lloyd George. The only opposition will be formed by the Asquithian Liberals, Laborites, and Independents.

One feature of the returns is the dearth of very small majorities. Under the new Franchise act, every candidate who fails to obtain one-eighth of the votes polled in his constituency forfeits his deposit of £150 sterling. More than 130 candidates are victims of this rule.

It is difficult to compare the results of this election with that of 1910, owing to the numerous rearrangements of constituencies under the last Reform act, but analysis shows that London has gone almost solidly for the coalition. Only three Independent Liberals were returned in London, and the two Laborites returned are both coalitionists.

The returns from Yorkshire are no less astonishing. Of the 55 members from Yorkshire 26 are Coalition Unionists and 18 Coalition Liberals. Two members elected by the National Democratic Party, which supports the Coalition, are discharged soldiers and sailors' representatives, eight are Labor members, and only one is an Independent Liberal.

In Lancashire the 66 members returned do not include a single Independent Liberal. There are 38 Coalition Unionists, 5 Independent Unionists, 8 Coalition Liberals, 13 Laborites, 1 Socialist, and 1 Nationalist. Even in Scotland, the number of Independent Liberals returned can be numbered on the fingers of one hand.

The twelve divisions of Birmingham returned Coalitionists. The only woman candidate in the city was at the bottom of the poll, and she forfeited her deposit. This forfeiture of deposit was also the fate of three other women candidates, including the only woman candidate in Scotland.

Votes of Women and Soldiers.

Coalition leaders say the principal factors which contributed to their triumph were the votes of the women and of the soldiers. The former made the majority secure, and the soldiers' vote, according to one leader, came later as a tidal wave in favor of Lloyd George.

An analysis of the polling shows that London and Scotland polled less than half their total electorate, while English boroughs and counties polled little more than half, and Wales just half.

Most of the cast out ballots were those of soldiers who wrote across them such remarks as "Send us home and we will vote," or "We have no information about the candidates."

Labor secured one striking victory in St. Helens, Lancashire, where the candidate of the dock workers, James Sexton, defeated Rigby P. W. Swift, Unionist, for what always had been regarded a safe seat. Mr. Swift had held the seat since December, 1910.

The net result of the election is summed up in today's papers as a personal triumph for Premier Lloyd George in the disappearance of two great parties, the Liberals and Irish Nationalists. The papers, without exception emphasize that the election is not merely a great triumph, but a great opportunity for Lloyd George, as the country insists on the carrying out of a vast program of social reform. They declare that the governing classes are on trial and that if they fail to satisfy the country a painful reckoning awaits them at the next election, which may come sooner than is now apparent. In this connection it is pointed out that labor largely voted Coalition in the expectation that a policy agreeable to labor would be pursued.

George Nicoll Barnes, Labor member of the War Cabinet, in a statement issued in Glasgow, expressed the opinion that the Labor Party had lost a great chance by truckling to the pacifists and Bolshevists. Minister of Food Clynes, in a statement, says his election tour of the centres of industry convinced him that Labor candidates had aroused great enthusiasm. The elections, in his opinion, proved that labor was a living force, which would be not merely a lever in Parliament to secure reforms, but a safety valve guarding the country against dangerous explosions.

Political Courage Recompensed.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—The results of the British elections afford the greatest pleasure to the French press, except the Socialist section.

"It is the most fortunate event since the signing of the armistice," says the Temps. "Political courage, like that of the military, has been recompensed."

LLOYD GEORGE'S TASK GRAVE AFTER PEACE

Domestic Problems Then Will Test the Permanency of the Premier's Present Triumph.

By FRANK DILNOT.

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The results of the British general election are, first and foremost, the tribute of the people to a victory Prime Minister, a Prime Minister, moreover, with the most dazzling personality Britain has known in political life for a generation. But, great as is Mr. Lloyd George's majority, it does not mean that his future task is to be an easy one or that he has dissipated all effective opposition for an indefinite period. His fresh, strong Government backed by the people, his apparent agreement in the main lines of thought with President Wilson will carry him along swimmingly till after peace is signed—so much is certain. But then will come the testing time. The unity of all sections and classes on patriotic lines against the common enemy will be replaced by strong divisions of opinion on domestic politics, divisions intensified by chagrin and jealousy, as well as by deep convictions.

The pacifists have been routed by what may be called the straightforward masculinity of the electorate, shared, curiously enough, by the women voters. They will not be idle. They will get a following on other lines. There are clever men among them. Ramsay Macdonald is educated, persuasive, long-headed, and Philip Snowden is a vivid, bitter personality, who is in fact if not in name the leader of the extreme Socialists. They have no great hold over the bulk of the trade unionists, who are the overwhelming majority of the labor movement. On the other hand, Arthur Henderson, not so extreme as Snowden, not so subtle as Macdonald, has a very great deal of influence with the unions. He is primarily a trade unionist. He is, moreover, a dour, strong man. His defection from the War Cabinet has injured him, but his influence is still great, and it will grow when the war feeling has died down. Up to the present these three men have been the strongest leaders of labor. It remains to be seen if Lloyd George can find among his labor lieutenants leaders equally strong who can mold and direct the forces of labor along lines with which he is in sympathy. There is no doubt that Macdonald, Henderson, and Snowden will put up a big fight and have substantial backing.

The defeat of Mr. Asquith is one of the blows that come to all political leaders. Mr. Balfour was turned out of his seat in Manchester in 1906 during the Liberal victories, and there are numerous other instances. It is inconceivable that Mr. Asquith will be long out of Parliament. One of his followers will probably resign and yield the place to him. It is probably also only a question of months, if so long, before Sir John Simon, a brilliant lawyer of strong character, young in years, will again be in the House of Commons. Sir John was Solicitor General at 37, an unprecedented record for a man who started without money or influence and with nothing but his brains to help him. He will almost certainly one day be a Liberal Prime Minister. Others who served in Asquith's Cabinet, like McKenna and Runciman, will assuredly not long remain out of the arena. They are a pretty strong crowd, all of them comparatively young, all of them men who have forced their way to the top of the ladder by their own efforts and ability. Their temporary absence from the House of Commons strengthens Lloyd George's hand for the moment. It will not weaken their feelings or their principles when they get back again.

Then there are the Irish. The Nationalists are bitter against Lloyd George for not having put the home rule bill into effect and thus foreclosed on the Sinn Feiners. (They believe, rightly or wrongly, that the Ulster opposition could have been crushed or conciliated.) The Nationalist members, however, are but an insignificant minority now, and it is the Sinn Feiners with whom the Prime Minister will have to deal. It is impossible to believe that they will remain quiescent. Is Mr. Lloyd George going to try to placate them and meet the opposition of the Conservative members of his Ministry? Is he going to defy them and by his methods of doing so meet the criticism, in one direction, of sections of Labor, in another of some of the Asquithian Liberals, and in all and every direction of the united Nationalist and Sinn Fein forces? He cannot sit still and do nothing. Besides, it is not his nature. Whatever happens, I look to see fierce fighting in the House of Commons when once peace has been signed.

When the smoke of the election battle has cleared away what will stand out most clearly is the dramatic triumph of Mr. Lloyd George's personality. He has some able men around him, but they are not nearly on the same level of sheer intellect as Asquith and Simon and some of their associates. The advanced Socialist forces were against him. He had not this time, as heretofore, the fervent support of the Northcliffe press. Many of the old Conservatives still retained bitter memories of him. A number of personal influences were against him. He comes through with one of the largest House of Commons majorities ever known. Even Gladstone, the greatest political leader since the Reform bill, could not have done it.

Soldiers' Monument Blown Up by Sinn Feiners in Cork

CORK, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—Sinn Feiners last night, after the announcement of the election results, blew up the monument erected by public subscription to the Cork soldiers who had fought in the South African war.

TO TRY ITALIAN TRAITOR.

Enea and Five Others Face Punishment for Sinking Warship.

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MILAN, Dec. 29.—A naval court-martial will soon begin at Spezzia the investigation of the sinking of the Italian dreadnought Leonardo da Vinci. After the disaster near Taranto the arch-conspirator, Vincenzo Enea, fled to Trent, where he was discovered last month by officials dispatched from Rome by the Ministry of the Interior.

Enea had transferred to a Swiss bank the bulk of the 300,000 kronen, ($60,000,) with which the Austrian Government is said to have rewarded him for his crime, but about one-third of that sum was found on his person at the moment of his arrest.

Among others accused of complicity in the sinking are a member of the staff of the Austrian Consulate at Naples, a commissioner of police, an officer of the warship and a young adventuress named Ida Clements, whom the Italian authorities expelled from Durazzo a little while before the disaster, in which several hundred victims perished.

The evidence collected at the secret preliminary trial fills thirty-one folio volumes and abounds in sensational incidents.

LIBERATION LOAN IN FRANCE GROWS

PARIS, Dec. 29.—In the Chamber of Deputies today, in a debate on the budget, Minister of Finance Klotz announced that the amount subscribed to the Liberation Loan now exceeded the amount announced Dec. 3. Although the figures still were incomplete, M. Klotz said, the nominal capital subscribed exceeded 30,000,000,000 francs, representing an effective capital of 21,500,000,000 francs.

The Chamber held three sittings today in the hope of passing the budget for the first quarter of 1919, which must be voted before Jan. 1. In the debate figures were given illustrating the enormous increase during the war in the output of war materials. As an instance it was pointed out that France made 655 machine guns monthly in 1915, 3,703 monthly in 1917 and 4,090 monthly in 1918.

DEATH OF CAPT. DE MELLO.

Commander of Brazilian Battleship Succumbs to Pneumonia.

Captain Cezar Augusto de Mello, commanding the Brazilian battleship Sao Paulo, died Saturday in his apartment in this city of pneumonia. Captain Mello was 45 years old and was a graduate of the Brazilian Naval Academy in the Class of 1892. He was at one time Secretary to his country's Naval Commission in France and later was aid to the President of Brazil.

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cialists will break all records. Unfortunately, the burial of the sailors killed in the Schloss battle will take place about the same time, and there may be a collision between the Majority Socialists and the Spartacides who are in charge of the burial.

The Lokal-Anzeiger has the following:

"Most extraordinary means are being employed to cause confusion. Thus, for instance, the Entente journalists in Berlin have been warned by agents of the police that President Eichorn and counter-revolutionary officers are planning to make them prisoners in order to incite the Entente to occupy Berlin."

The German Democratic Party, too, plans a demonstration tomorrow against Liebknecht and the terror.

Anger Against Reds Growing.

The Vorwärts, reviewing the situation and urging energetic preparation for tomorrow's demonstration against lawlessness, says:

"Outwardly the streets of Berlin yesterday presented the usual picture, people going about their business and pleasure, but under the surface there is a tremendous agitation smoldering that cannot much longer be suppressed.

"The events of the last few days are being discussed by groups both small and large at every convenient street corner with a passion which the Germans have never been given credit for. There was a rumor of a Government crisis yesterday, which tremendously increased the general tension. One spark might suffice to explode the powder barrel. The people are fearfully enraged against the Terrorists, the Spartacus group being denounced everywhere. Doubtless the Government has lost much prestige in the eyes of the public. Its everlasting efforts for compromises no longer find favor with the people. The Social Democratic more than any other party accuses the Government of being unable to take energetic measures.

"According to all experience, we must count with street demonstrations. This afternoon the spectre of a Government crisis had created the fear that we shall soon have two Governments in Berlin antagonizing each other. We heard it said openly and often that Berlin should no longer remain the seat of government because of the Spartacide terror. Whatever may occur within the next few hours, this much is certain, we are nearer anarchy than ever before. The Government at this hour has no solid support whatever. It is the great task of the Berlin workmen to create a solid base for the Government within the next few days and no longer tolerate terrorization by the doubtful elements, whatever they are. We are therefore convinced our demonstration tomorrow will assume overwhelming dimensions."

Other papers speak of the public hatred manifesting itself against the sailors in fatal outbreaks which may be expected at any time.

Barth Against the Spartacides.

BERLIN, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—Herr Barth, one of the retiring members of the Cabinet, told The Associated Press that his faction did not approve of the tactics of the Spartacan Socialists or of violence in any form. He permitted the inference that Hugo Haase's party did not at present contemplate a counter-revolution. Herr Barth concluded with the statement that the general economic and food situation would chiefly determine the future course of events.

The intervention of the Central Council indicates that the revolutionary forces outside of Berlin finally propose to assert the sentiments and opinions of other sections of Germany, which are well known to be at variance with the Berlin interpretation of revolutionary aims and methods.

A plan to remove the present State Government from Berlin is said to have been proposed by the Majority Socialists in the Cabinet.

Sailors Still Occupy Palace.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Berlin reports by way of Copenhagen and Amsterdam indicate that Sunday was awaited in the German capital with anxiety, it being feared that the great open-air meetings which had been arranged would lead to serious trouble.

The dispatches say the bourgeois press was urging the support of the Government of Friedrich Ebert and Philipp Scheidemann, while the Spartacans were convinced that their hour had arrived, and that they would be able, with the assistance of the marines, to sweep aside all resistance.

Despite the promised evacuation, the dispatches add, sailors still occupy the Imperial Palace, and sentries are posted at all its entrances. The Berlin Tageszeitung asserts that marines have occupied the Reichstag Building.

According to one of the dispatches, the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin says the palace shows signs of the recent bombardment. A shell passed through the marble-covered wall and lodged in the courtyard. The throne room and the Joachim Hall, however, were almost untouched. The long, narrow dining room was converted into a hospital ward, and in it basins and pans of blood-stained water are still lying. The former Emperor's private rooms were closed by the Ministry of Finance. Five dead sailors were found lying in the small vestibule of the second courtyard.

FRENCH DENOUNCE EBERT AS WEAKLING

Are Desirous of Firm Government in Germany as Barrier to Bolshevism.

By CHARLES A. SELDEN.

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PARIS, Dec. 29.—Ebert is denounced in France today as another weakling like Kerensky. He dallied with Liebknecht instead of suppressing him, and, as in the case of Kerensky, whose fatal mistake was refusing to co-operate with General Korniloff, Ebert missed a great opportunity by not having ready a programme of methods that would have won the support of the German troops when they returned from the front. That is the French opinion of Ebert.

France is sorry, for frankly France dreads the spread of Bolshevism everywhere in Europe, and it was hoped that Ebert would succeed in establishing some form of stable government. When President Wilson first said that Germany would have to be fed by America, the same as Northern France and Belgium had been fed, it roused tremendous indignation in France. A Belgian woman in Paris said to me: "How dare this President of yours put the Belgians in the same class as those German beasts?" But that was in the first days of excitement and elation over the German surrender, before France had begun to think of the troubles that would come to her after hostilities had ended.

Now, only little more than a month later, France is entirely willing to cooperate with the Allies in sending food and raw materials to Germany as a means of establishing order. Needless to say, there is no diminution of French hatred of Germany. Willingness to help her is based on the need of self-protection against anarchy.

France does not look upon Bolshevism as a probability within her own borders, but as a possibility, which is bad enough. But there is not that cocksure certainty of a month ago based on the theory that Bolshevism was impossible in a country that had won a great war. France, however, was not, and is not, ready for the work that should immediately follow the victory of the troops. Her statesmen admit that they were not ready for peace in the same fashion that America and England were ready, but declare that that is not the French way. "The French never prepare for an occasion in advance," said an official concerned with reconstruction, "but rise to the occasion when it comes." Then he cited the example of France in 1914 rising to the emergency of the war.

But rising to the emergency of sudden peace has peculiar difficulties of its own. In the war there was one end only for all the people. The Government, therefore, was justified in supporting and taking any and all drastic means to accomplish that end.

Now it is very different. Every separate trade, industry, and business is clamoring to be set going again. There is bitter complaint of discrimination in this phase of the work of getting back to normal.

There is no Government plan to demobilize the troops as fast of the people think they ought to be demobilized. Naturally this discontent is most extreme in the restored industrial regions of Northern France. There is general disgust in that region at the lack of results, and even of the promise of results later on, shown by the Minister of Reconstruction.

LEAGUED TO PROTECT KAISER.

Germans Plan to Get Documents to Use in His Defense.

BERLIN, Dec. 28, (Associated Press.)—A "League for the Protection of the Personal Liberty and Life of the Kaiser" has been formed and will issue an appeal to the former advisers of the ex-Emperor, as well as diplomats with whom he was associated, to submit all possible documents to prove that the Emperor was not responsible for bringing on the war.

Prince Henry of Prussia, who was proposed for President of the league, suggested von Hindenburg for the post.

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Warring Factions Agree Danger of Famine Strengthens the Hand of Liebknecht.

PROTEST BY SCHEIDEMANN

Says Americans Do Not Understand Revolt — Haase Tells His Reform Plans.

By FREDERICK A. SMITH.

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Mr. Smith was one of five American correspondents who crossed the line into Germany ahead of the American Army, penetrated to Berlin, and returned to Paris after a two weeks' trip. This is Mr. Smith's fourth dispatch.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Six Social Democrats sitting in seats recently vacated by the Prussian autocracy and Herr Liebknecht's red-flagged Bolshevist Spartacus Club knocking at the door, clamoring for possession!

That is the bewildering spectacle presented in the Wilhelmstrasse in Berlin, where only a short time ago the Kaiser, the Bethmann Hollwegs, the von Jagows, the Zimmermanns, the Ludendorffs, and the von Kühlmanns strutted about imagining they had the world in their military pocket.

In the eight days I was in Berlin I saw and talked to the leaders of this strange new German Government, and afterward, looking back at them collectively, was reminded of the lines of a song at the Folies Bergeres in Paris:

> Where were you yesterday?
> And where are you now today?
> And where will you be tomorrow, say?

One of Germany's biggest men wept before me, saying:

"For God's sake, send word to the United States authorities to send troops to Berlin to avert Bolshevist terrorism."

A Cabinet member, on the other hand, pooh-poohed the idea that the present Government needed outside protection.

The Conservatives want to make it appear that the Socialists are running amuck, charging that they are opening the sacred archives of Prussia's fragrant diplomacy and even robbing pouches in the custody of Foreign Office couriers.

The Socialists, in turn, are accusing Liebknecht and the perennial Rosa Luxemburg of trying to smash the whole Government in order to build up an entirely new one, enabling everybody to get an equal start at the break of the barrier.

Beginning of Revolution.

The revolutionary situation in Germany, however, is less confusing than the Russian hurly-burly, because it is more compact. Practically simultaneously with the signing of the armistice the German Government collapsed, and Prince Max of Baden, the last remnant of royalist officialdom, asked Herr Ebert, President of the Grand Committee of the Reichstag, to form a Socialist Cabinet to prevent chaos. Ebert consented, after some hesitation forming a cabinet composed of three Conservative Socialists and three Radicals, all the members having equal authority, Ebert retaining the title of Chancellor.

Dr. Solf, for a time regarded as the prospective Colonel House of Germany and probably the least Prussianistic of the old crowd, had become Foreign Secretary after long service as Colonial Secretary. Solf was not a member of the Cabinet.

The six Cabinet members moved into the palace where Bismarck once was the ruler, bringing with them all the anti-militaristic, equal suffrage, and other ideas which they had long been hurling about with no more effect than to cause cold, horrified chills among the Hohenzollerns.

But the revolutionary leaders came along with a new complication. The Arbeiter und Soldatenrat in all German communities had established councils which took over control of civil and military affairs overnight, and in Berlin this council, elected by workers and soldiers, was composed of twenty-eight men.

The Berlin Council insisted on the right to dictate the Cabinet's actions, not only in Berlin, but throughout the country. This aroused indignation outside Berlin, also inspiring disgust among the Cabinet members.

Finally it was agreed that the Berlin Council should not interfere with the executive functions of the Cabinet, but should reserve the right to supervise, which appears to be a precarious scheme at best. Meanwhile the Berlin Council policed the city and administered local affairs generally.

Herr Scheidemann's present influential position in the Cabinet is a logical, though dramatic, sequel to that Zabern affair, which five years ago called the world's attention to the fact that the populace of Alsace-Lorraine did not propose any longer to stand for the brutal arrogance of the German military autocracy.

Forced Government Crisis.

After a German Lieutenant, as a climax of a long series of difficulties with the populace, had cut down an unarmed, lame shoemaker, the Reichstag held a hot session, which overwhelmingly voted a lack of confidence in the Imperial Chancellor.

It was Scheidemann, who, on that occasion, demanded that the Chancellor retire as a result of the vote, and when the Chancellor refused, on the ground he was responsible only to the Kaiser, Scheidemann denounced such a theory as an assumption of personal government.

The whole incident became so alarming to the rulers and the militaristic clique that Former Ambassador Gerard was inclined to the opinion that the present war was welcomed as a means of preserving the autocracy.

I saw Scheidemann in the office where he gives special attention to the national finances, finding him looking little like a fire eater. He is a large man, with a fringe of blonde hair about an expansive bald spot, has blue eyes, and enjoys a paintbrush goatee. He impressed me as being enthusiastic, sincere, and well balanced.

"Your people don't understand the full democratic feeling in Germany," Scheidemann said. "They have seen so much of the Kaiser side of the picture and heard so much of the Socialists that our democracy has been obscured. Socialist movements were always associated in your country with the red flag, and you did not realize German Socialism's potentiality in dealing with an autocratic Government. I'll not say there is no danger of Bolshevism getting a hold in this country, but food would alleviate the Bolshevist danger.

"The revolution is readily understood. Last March Germany believed the war was about won, and expected to conquer France and Italy, and strike England a very hard blow. Then Marshal Foch drove the Germans back. At that time nothing was being said here of an American army. The people suddenly awakened to the realization that the military party had consistently deceived them.

"The big losses and the food situation began to discourage the Germans, the food situation being particularly acute in the Spring, and aggravated by workers who went on strike after being secretly armed by the Bolsheviki. The workers returned, but soldiers' tales of horrible conditions at the front brought further depression.

Abdication Reports Barred.

"The Kaiser refused to see it was up to him to get out. Prince Max of Baden stepped into power, and I was placed in the Cabinet by the Socialist Party. Agreement had been reached by the Cabinet and the Great Headquarters that the censorship should apply only to military secrets, but almost immediately the Great Headquarters ordered that the newspapers should not discuss the abdication of the Kaiser.

"I wrote a letter to the Kaiser, through Prince Max of Baden, protesting that the German people were still being kept in ignorance. Prince Max promised to deliver the letter asking the Kaiser to retire, but Max later explained that the Kaiser was at the Grand Headquarters at that moment, but was fully aware of the situation. This was unsatisfactory, and on the 9th my colleagues in the Cabinet and I retired. This meant the fall of the Government, and when the news reached Kiel the revolution began.

"Now, I cannot say as to what form the parliamentary government will take. If peace is made on Wilson's fourteen points, it will be absolutely impossible to have another war. Everybody in the present Government honors Wilson. There is not a chance to keep up the military establishment of the past."

Herr Scheidemann, who toured America several years ago, then predicting a German revolution, told me he hoped to visit the United States again soon, possibly after peace shall have been declared.

Almost equally interesting was Herr Haase, whose crackling voice often woke up the party of the Right in the Reichstag. Conservatives had told me confidentially what a terrible radical Haase was, and, knowing he had founded the Independent Socialist Party, I expected to find in him another Debs or Haywood. At the outer door of the Haase apartment in the Chancellor's palace a flunky took my hat and coat, showing the way up a richly carpeted stairway and into a magnificent outer salon.

Haase Tells of Compromises.

The Secretary conducted me into Haase's inner sanctum, a great chamber finished in soft tints and gold, a rich crimson rug being the only suggestion of the red flag about the place. Haase had been sitting in a ridiculously ornate gold chair at a massive flat-top desk. When he rose to greet me Haase struck me with his subtle resemblance to the John P. Altgeld, a tendency toward knock-knees being one definite point of resemblance and the lack of a beard being the point of difference.

Haase had a tense, weary expression which softened engagingly with his quick smile of welcome. This, then, was that terrible radical who surely must be concealing unfathomed depths of frightfulness under a gentle exterior. He started out by saying that the majority and minority Socialists joined the Cabinet with some differences of opinion, but that both sides were making concessions with a view to maintaining order as required in Secretary of State Lansing's last note making a conditional promise of food relief.

Herr Haase said the mortality rate was three times the former rate as a result of food scarcity, adding that 50 per cent. of the illegitimate infants were now dying and 25 per cent. of the legitimate. He said if the Government effected social and economic reforms the Spartacus group could not grow, and expressed confidence that the proposed reforms would succeed.

I asked for details of these reforms, expecting at last to get at Herr Haase's radicalism, and this was his reply:

"These reforms will be effected without disturbing the social life. The changes must not entail a reduction or the destruction of the lines of production, agricultural, industrial, and commercial. We desire to stimulate the productiveness of commerce and not to stop it.

"All those industries which may be considered ripe for nationalization, such as coal mines, great electrical works, &c., the Government will take possession of, but we don't want to cut off the heads of business men and industrial chiefs. Their services are required for the nation now instead of for private capital."

I asked him if a fair price would be paid for these properties.

Evaluation of Properties.

"There shall be no confiscation," he came back quickly. "A commission composed of scholars and scientists, not Socialists, is now studying values, hearing statements of figures from clerks, workers, and everybody, and will make a report to the Cabinet, which will pay a full price based on its report."

Herr Haase explained that the Independent Socialists as a party knew and affirmed that the people had been deceived as to the war and placed the guilt on military castes in Germany and Austria, his party always having been opposed to the submarine war.

Regarding the National Assembly called for Feb. 16, he said some persons besides the Spartacus group believed the assembly should not be called until the people had an opportunity to find out what democracy meant. The soldiers should all be given time to get back to their homes and study the Government program before voting. As the women are to vote for the first time, they also need time for education, but Haase said he had consented to the February assembly.

Haase said the Government had cut away from the old Foreign Office methods of secret diplomacy and espionage, and any holdover officials who tried the old methods would be wiped out. The names of several editors and writers, one of whom is an American here, were mentioned to Haase as having been in the pay of the Foreign Office, several having vilified Ambassador Gerard and written treasonable articles about President Wilson and America. Haase took a notebook from a desk showing the entry of two of the names mentioned, saying they would all be investigated and any Wilhelmstrasse source of income be cut off.

"What will you do with the Kaiser?"

His reply ignored the published reports of allied plans to punish the war instigators.

"The present Government is now getting up a White Book," he said, "containing all the documents relating to the origin of the war and peace negotiations, and while we have not come to a conclusion whether the guilty ones should be tried by a German court or an international tribunal, personally I favor a German court with a condemnation of the guilty, leaving them to the contempt and shame of the world rather than to violent handling."

Thinks Troops Are Not Needed.

Herr Haase said he did not think troops would be necessary to protect the Government, citing the fact that the soldiers had sent word that they would come to Berlin any time they were needed for assistance to the Cabinet.

Herr Scheidemann, for the Moderates, and Herr Haase, for the Radicals, thus had put themselves on record, but extremists like Liebknecht would not talk and conservatives like Solf would not be quoted.

On leaving Berlin I learned of the formation of the new political body which hopes to amalgamate all parties other than the Socialists, and give united support to the Government. Among the leaders of this organization, called the German Democratic Party, are Professor Alfred Weber of Heidelberg, Professor Hans Delbruck, editor of the Prussian Year Book, and Theodore Wolff, editor of the Berliner Tageblatt, known as the German paper most nearly approaching the enterprising, conscientious newspaper in America.

Delbruck joined with Dernburg in protesting against proposed annexation of Belgium.

Since leaving Berlin I have seen many stories in the papers regarding sensational developments, such as Ebert having been made President and Solf thrown out, but as much propaganda is being sent out from Germany it is possible to sift through and find the false.

It will be obeserved that all elements agree Bolshevism is a great peril, and that the fear of famine plays into the hands of the Liebknecht crowd. There is little question money is liberally supplied the Bolsheviki by Russian sympathizers, and warning is industriously being circulated that Bolshevism in Germany means a spread of the same sort of terrorism to the entente countries.

It was in this connection that the German statesman mentioned before made his tearful appeal that American troops occupy Berlin, afterward asking that his name be not used. The whole situation brings the food question to the fore from both humanitarian and political angles, and the next article will submit facts which may help answer the oft repeated query as to whether famine is another Hun trick to gain sympathy.

APPEALS TO EBERT TO AVERT DISASTER

Schiemann, ex-Kaiser's Adviser, Urges Imprisonment of Red Leaders.

WOULD JAIL LIEBKNECHT

Bolshevism Must Result, He Says, if the Sword of Authority Is Not Employed.

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BERLIN, Dec. 28, (via Copenhagen.)—Professor Theodor Schiemann, once one of the Kaiser's personal advisers, addresses an open letter to Commissary Ebert, appealing to his patriotism and good-will "to rescue some sort of law and order from the chaos created by the criminal conduct of the sailors and the consequences of the disastrous armistice.

"The measures taken," he says, "make me and all men and women not belonging to the Government party blush with shame. I must confess I am ashamed of the Germany of today. I am ashamed of the undignified appearance which our country presents from within and without and its surrender of all feelings of decency. While our enemies by a campaign of systematic slander and lying have for years tried to fasten the guilt for the outbreak of the war on us, although they were preparing for it for nearly two decades, you have commissioned men with no scientific competency whatever, who are prejudiced besides, to investigate the question what evidence there is in our archives of our responsibility for the war. At the same time our enemies declare that they will do likewise, because it is already established that they are absolutely innocent, and we alone are guilty.

"Our petitions to the leading men of the Entente and to President Wilson lack all dignity, are in a whining tone and only increase the contempt with which the enemy is treating us. Our present Government has done nothing to sustain the justifiable self-respect of the German people, who so long defended their existence against the whole world; but everything possible has been done to suppress the elements standing for law and order. Our officers have been dismissed in the most abominable fashion, and nothing has been done to aid them to maintain discipline and suppress the lawless elements that will be found in any army of millions. The amnesty, which has justified the crimes committed by the sailors—looting, mutiny, theft and murder—and for all time has placed them beyond the reach of punishment, also has created an organization of bad men who now terrorize Germany. They oppose the troops when the latter, as only recently in Neukölln, seek to disarm these organized criminals.

"The impression has been created that cowardice is at the bottom of our conduct. The Social Democrats fear the Independents, and the Independents fear the Spartacides.

"You, Herr Ebert, yield in all questions to Haase, and Haase is afraid of those madcaps, Liebknecht and Luxemburg. From such weakness the fiercest radicalism and Bolshevism must result.

"You ignore the law that was established at the beginning of time, that the sword was given to the authorities to use it. The consequence is that the impertinence of our enemies knows no limits. Poles, Czechs, and Hungarians treat us like dogs that one favors with a kick.

"Do you really believe that the German people has become so depraved as not to feel the nameless shame of this situation? We simply long for one courageous word against enemies at home and abroad.

"We demand the arrest of Liebknecht and Luxemburg, who must be placed either in a madhouse or a prison. We demand the strongest measures against the lawless rabble who, though almost children, yet form their bodyguard. We want virile action instead of mere phrases that may fire an uncritical assemblage but mean nothing to serious men.

"I am very much worried, dear Herr Ebert, because I know that nameless misery worse than anything suffered so far will befall Germany if the Social Democracy, which is yet in power, permits itself to become the slave of the Spartacus group.

"Your name now belongs to history. You will be judged according to deeds, not principles and phrases."

Schiemann a Friend of Treitschke.

Theodor Schiemann, for more than half his seventy years a subject of Russia—he was born in Grobin—is a historian of note, especially on matters relative to the former dynasties of Europe, and has been rated as one of the ex-Kaiser's closest and most respected friends. He was for twenty years political editor of the Kreuz-Zeitung, one of the leading Conservative and Junker organs, and was a warm personal friend and admirer of Heinrich von Treitschke, whose philosophy has at times been blamed for the "Deutschland über Alles" idea of modern Germany.

Schiemann is the author of many books, principally about Russia, among these being "The Murder of Czar Paul and Accession of Nicholas I.," "Sketches of Characters and Customs from Baltic History of the Sixteenth Century," and "The Rape of the Baltic Provinces." When the war was in its second year, interviews with Schiemann found him confident of victory. "There will be no peace conference," he told Gilbert Hirsch, Berlin correspondent of The New York Evening Post.

GIBBONS ISSUES APPEAL.

Cardinal Asks All to Aid Armenian and Syrian Fund.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 29.—Cardinal Gibbons has issued the following appeal to all Christians for aid for the Armenians and Syrians:

"The attempt to relieve and save the starving peoples in the Near East deserves the sympathetic support of all Christian people. Not only have the Christian inhabitants of Turkey been impoverished and decimated by a succession of wars, but deportation and massacre have destroyed many fathers and mothers, leaving hundreds of thousands of orphans to be fed, clothed and provided with homes. The American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief is to undertake to raise, in January, a large sum for this purpose. I hope that all who have given freely for this and other forms of war relief will be generous still in the face of this greatest tragedy of the war."

WOULD POOL NATIONS TO PAY WAR DEBTS

Proposed Interallied Society Prominent in Peace Discussions at Paris.

WANT AMERICA INCLUDED

Some Objection to Our Paying Proportionate Share — Socialists Would Take in Central Powers.

PARIS, Dec. 29, (Associated Press.)—The financial aspect of the settlement of the war problems has been uppermost in the minds of those concerned in Paris during the last few days. This is regarded not only by the American delegates to the Peace Conference, but by the representatives of the Allies who have arrived here, as one of the foremost problems requiring settlement.

The debates in the Senate on the renewal of the charter of the Bank of France and in the Chamber on the provisional military appropriations have disclosed lively interest by both Senators and Deputies in the proposed organization of the "Interallied Financial Society" for the liquidation of the combined war debt of the Allies.

The Socialists, who are taking a prominent part in the discussion, appear to prefer the title "Financial Society of Nations," which would not preclude the eventual entry of enemy powers into the association. They suggest that the members of the Germanic coalition might be called on proportionately to the other powers to pay their share—in round numbers, Germany 6,500,000,000 francs annually; Austria, 5,000,000,000; Turkey, 2,000,000,000, and Bulgaria, 500,000,000, in addition to the interest on whatever sum the peace congress may demand as indemnity for war damages, which some have put at several hundred billion francs.

In the chamber yesterday Deputy Jacques Stern, author of the proposition of an interallied financial society, estimated the total sum to be demanded from Germany and her allies as indemnity at 470,000,000,000 francs.

The principle difficulties anticipated are in finding a working basis for such a society, and in Germany's ability to bear such an immense burden. M. Stern and other members take the successful organization of an international commission to manage the Turkish public debt as a precedent, indicating the possibility of overcoming all difficulties of organization, while in answer to the doubts as to whether Germany is able to pay a large indemnity, they cite the estimates of the resources of the German Empire made by Dr. Karl Helfferich, Secretary of the German Treasury before the war. They contend that it will be the duty of the peace delegates to consider what resources may be found for the payment of the indemnity, and point to the ten or twelve billion marks that Helfferich estimated was the annual savings of Germany from her forty billion marks annual earnings.

The project as now framed seeks to have the United States pay in the same proportion as the nations with which it is associated, notwithstanding its participation in the war was much shorter. This has met with considerable objection.

The bill proposed by Deputy Jacques Stern establishing among the Allies an international financial union seeks to distribute the expenses of the war between the nations on the basis of population and power to contribute. This proposition, according to the Paris reports, is supported by 100 delegates of all parties.

The estimates of the war expenses of the Allies were given at the time the measure was presented for the Government's consideration as 424,000,000,000 francs, while the expenses of the Central Powers aggregated 370,000,000,000 francs. To avoid international bankruptcy, it was declared that such an association was necessary to float an international loan estimated at 518,000,000,000 francs, to be distributed on a basis of population and production, each State to guarantee its proportion from customs and other revenues.

MENACE TO WORLD BY REDS IS SEEN

By WALTER DURANTY.

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contrary to the generally accepted opinion, at least as far as France is concerned.

Inquiries in official circles lead to the conclusion that in reality the situation in Russia and Eastern Germany is giving the authorities a good deal more anxiety than the public imagines.

Allied Action Hampered.

Anti-Bolshevist action is hampered by three factors—first, the difficulty of the Allies agreeing among themselves on exactly how and to what extent it is to be carried out; second, the reluctance of the troops and the French people generally to engage in a Winter campaign in Russia, fraught with the ominous memories of the Crimea and of Napoleon's retreat from Moscow; third, the fear that such action, if carried out, might defeat its own object by causing Bolshevist ideas to spread and be disseminated more widely through the advertisement, or appeal to public attention, thus afforded them.

Private advices from a Swiss source, which I have always found reliable, indicate that the extremist party in Germany is gaining ground and that serious-minded people both in Germany and Switzerland are already looking forward with horror to an alliance between Russian and German "Reds" against the rest of the world.

"There can be no future ahead of the League of Nations proposal," my informant concluded, "unless the huge mass of the population east of the Rhine to the Ural Mountains is included. Yet does anyone seriously imagine that there can be a union between such powers as France, America, or Britain, and Leninist Russia or Liebknecht Germany?"

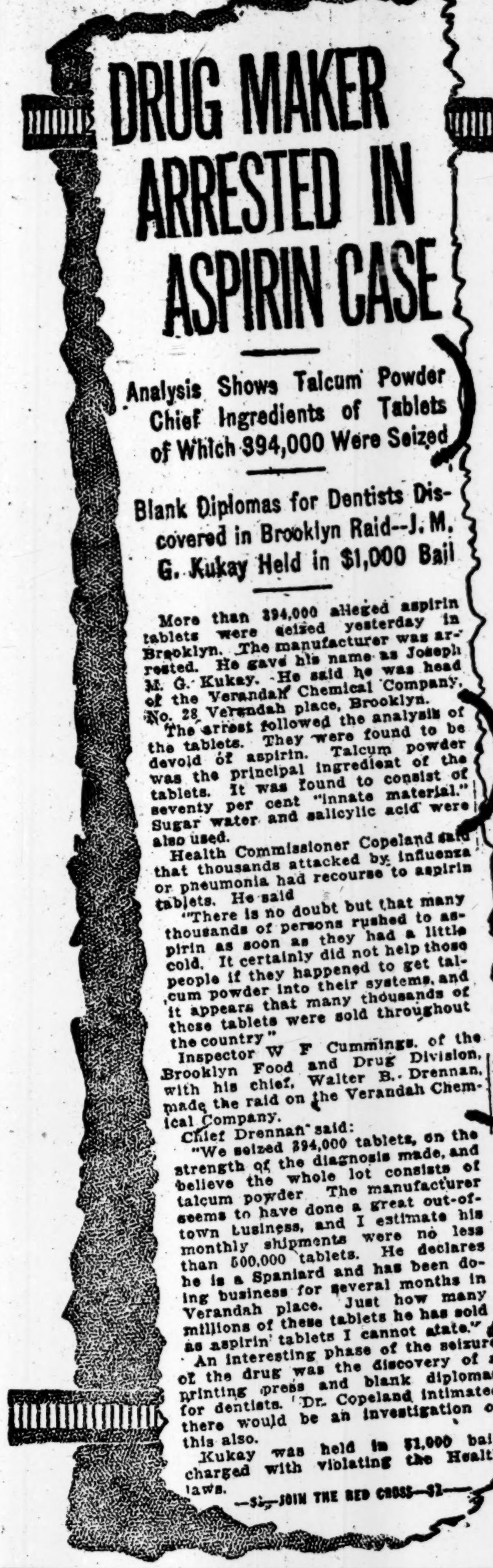
Russian Situation Ominous.

A high official at the Russian Embassy, whom I saw this morning, confirmed the main points of the ominous condition of affairs in Russia.

"It is certainly true," he said, "that the Bolsheviki are better organized than most persons here imagine. They have forced officers and officials of the former régime to work for them under pain of death. According to the latest information we have received, they do appear to be spreading westward, and may create a grave state of affairs for Western Europe by joining hands with the extremist party in Germany, which seems to be getting control, at least, for a time.

"Am I in favor of allied intervention? That is a question I cannot answer. It depends on how and where and by what force that intervention is exercised. I am afraid it must be admitted that the piecemeal intervention hitherto attempted has merely served as a stimulus to and propaganda for the Bolshevist movement. Yet none who knows Russia can fail to realize the difficulties of a military operation on a large scale.

"It is a horribly complex problem which is before the Peace Conference, and may well absorb the attention of allied statesmen to a far greater degree than they expect."



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Analysis Shows Talcum Powder Chief Ingredients of Tablets of Which 394,000 Were Seized

Blank Diplomas for Dentists Discovered in Brooklyn Raid—J. M. G. Kukay Held in $1,000 Bail

More than 394,000 alleged aspirin tablets were seized yesterday in Brooklyn. The manufacturer was arrested. He gave his name as Joseph M. G. Kukay. He said he was head of the Verandah Chemical Company, No. 28 Verandah place, Brooklyn.

The arrest followed the analysis of the tablets. They were found to be devoid of aspirin. Talcum powder was the principal ingredient of the tablets. It was found to consist of seventy per cent "innate material." Sugar water and salicylic acid were also used.

Health Commissioner Copeland said that thousands attacked by influenza or pneumonia had recourse to aspirin tablets. He said

"There is no doubt but that many thousands of persons rushed to aspirin as soon as they had a little cold. It certainly did not help those people if they happened to get talcum powder into their systems, and it appears that many thousands of these tablets were sold throughout the country."

Inspector W F Cummings, of the Brooklyn Food and Drug Division, with his chief, Walter B. Drennan, made the raid on the Verandah Chemical Company.

Chief Drennan said:

"We seized 394,000 tablets, on the strength of the diagnosis made, and believe the whole lot consists of talcum powder. The manufacturer seems to have done a great out-of-town business, and I estimate his monthly shipments were no less than 500,000 tablets. He declares he is a Spaniard and has been doing business for several months in Verandah place. Just how many millions of these tablets he has sold as aspirin tablets I cannot state."

An interesting phase of the seizure of the drug was the discovery of a printing press and blank diplomas for dentists. Dr. Copeland intimated there would be an investigation of this also.

Kukay was held in $1,000 bail, charged with violating the Health laws.

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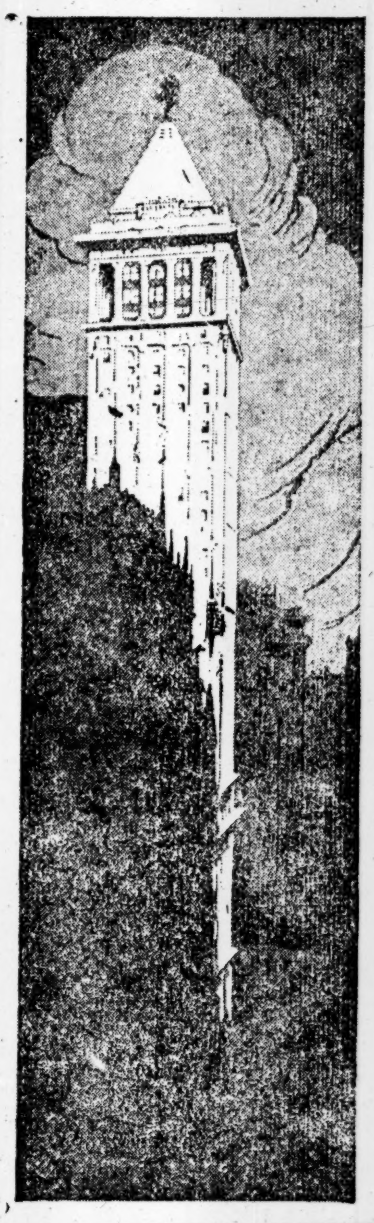

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LEAGUE OF NATIONS A PERIL, SAYS REED

Senator Assails Tribunal "Ruled by Kings, Bolsheviki, and Soviets."

OPPOSED BY O. S. STRAUS

Present Conditions, He Says, Are Wholly Different from Those in the Past.

United States Senator James A. Reed of Missouri, speaking last night at a dinner of the Society of Arts and Sciences at the Hotel Biltmore, declared himself in opposition to a League of Nations. After declaring that the American colonists died to establish the right of the people of America to control their own destiny, he added: "I am unalterably opposed to surrendering the rights thus attained to any international league, international congress, or international court, composed of the representatives of Kings, Kaisers, Czars, Soviets, Parliaments, or Bolsheviki."

The other speakers were Dr. A. L. Lowell, President of Harvard University; Oscar S. Straus, and Professor F. H. Giddings of Columbia University. James W. Gerard presided.

The proposed League of Nations, said Senator Reed, contemplates the transfer of the powers of Congress to representatives of foreign Governments. "Against this I solemnly protest," he declared. An "insuperable" objection to a League of Nations, the Senator asserted, was that the members of the league or the international court set up by the league would be named by the ruling powers of Europe, many of whom are ruled by marriage.

The nations of Europe have many interests in common which may at any time conflict with the United States, he aserted as another argument in opposition to a League of Nations, adding that the existence of such a league meant that the Monroe Doctrine would have to be yielded. Senator Reed asked whether, after the warning by the "fathers of the republic" against entangling alliances, it would be wise to substitute a policy "which makes us a party to every European quarrel, involves us in every war of the world, and compels us to conscript our young men to do service upon every sea and in every land at the dictation of the members of the League of Nations, whether composed of Bolsheviki, Kings, Presidents, or soviets."

"I will never give my consent that American citizens shall be ordered to battle by the majority vote of an international league or congress composed of representatives of foreign Governments, many of which are laggards in the march of civilization and exponents of autocracy and tyranny," he continued.

"I could not even give my consent to allow our great and puissant allies and friends, England and France, to share in the control of our national destiny. I cannot forget that nations, like individuals, are controlled by self-interest and sometimes by the passions of the hour. In any league, however organized, the selfish interests of each nation, will be forever predominant in its heart. It follows that these interests may at any moment concentre against the interests of the United States, our rights, our liberties, nay, our very national life, may be taken by the votes of prejudiced Kings or potentates controlled by their own selfish interests."

"Leagues of Peace will not keep the peace when nations grow mad enough to go to war," he added. "The proposition advanced by all these theorists is that in case of controversy either war will never be made or that it will be postponed for a year, during which time negotiations will proceed. Such, indeed, is the principle of those so-called peace treaties which were recently exploited by our American pacifists."

Oscar S. Straus said that the failure of old leagues and arrangements to keep the peace was not an argument that a League of Nations today would be worthless. In the past, he said, the leagues had been formed by intriguing monarchies to maintain the power of the nations on top and to keep other nations in subjection. At this time, however, he said, the dominant power of the world rested in the hands of free, democratic nations, co-operating with the oppressed nations which they had freed.

Professor Franklin H. Giddings argued that a League of Nations would make it necessary for this country to give up its traditional policies and place itself under the control of nations representing European interests. He said that the balance of power had been moderately successful in keeping the peace and that no practical conditions making for universal peace could be created by the league.

Dr. A. Lawrence Lowell, President of Harvard University, and the first to urge the league of nations of the type sought by the League to Enforce Peace, asserted that this war had proved that no nations could escape from being involved in future wars between maritime powers and that only a combination of nations to keep the peace could lessen the danger of war.

TAFT UPHOLDS WILSON.

Says President's Influence Abroad Exceeds That of Some Princes.

Ex-President William H. Taft was cheered yesterday afternon when, in an address at the Brooklyn Academy of Music, he said that he approved of the trip of President Wilson to Europe, and that it was his opinion that the country stood back of Mr. Wilson in his plans for a League of Nations. The address was given under the auspices of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and the subject was "Clinching Our Purpose in the War." Frank L. Babbott, Vice President of the institute, presided and introduced Mr. Taft. In speaking of the trip of President Wilson, Mr. Taft said:

"President Wilson has gone abroad and I am glad that he has. By so doing he is coming into close relations with men of other countries. President Wilson has more influence with the common people of Great Britain and France than some of their own Princes. The reasons for his popularity are the principles he has announced and the feeling that the people of the United States stand back of him in his undertakings."

In opening his address Mr. Taft said that he was glad to observe that the establishment of a League of Nations was becoming more favored by the people of all nations every day and that he believed it was the best means of maintaining an established peace among the nations of the world.

Mr. Taft said that four principles would be the main planks in the construction of the League of Nations.

"The first plank," said Mr. Taft, "will be an international court at which questions can be settled on the basis of law and equity. The second is a commission of conciliation to hear and recommend compromises on all questions which cannot be settled on the basis of law and equity and all questions which are not justiciable. The third is a stipulation which shall bind the members of the league to the police force made up of the armies and the navies of the powers to suppress wars started by any nation refusing to submit its grievances to the court. The fourth is a congress of nations to codify international law and draw up new principles of international law."

In speaking of Germany, Mr. Taft asserted that the war was waged against the German people as well as against the militarists of the country. "The only way to treat the German people is in a manner that will cure them of their obsession in relation to their functions in the universe," said the speaker. "The great trouble with the German people is in their heads and the surgical instrument we used on them was a blunt one."

Mr. Taft said that the treatment of her colonies by Germany was as cruel as her methods of conducting warfare. "Because of this Germany has no equitable right of ownership," said Mr. Taft. "The disposition of the colonies will be a question to settle at the peace table. We could give them to England, for that country is a good colonizer, but the Allies went into the war avowedly without the desire for acquisition of property. France only was trying to rescue her lost provinces. In settling the question it may be the best plan to place them under a protectorate of the four nations making the peace treaty. Under their guiding influence the interest of backward nations will be best served."

Mr. Taft then spoke about the situation in Russia and said that when it comes to a choice between one man despotism or mob rule he preferred the former. Mr. Taft said that he agreed with Senator Lodge that Bolshevism was a poison.

BAVARIAN SITUATION IS GROWING WORSE

Ministers Report Increase in Ranks of Unemployed, Coal Lacking and Business Suffering.

MUNICH, Bavaria, Dec. 27.—The report of the demobilization ministers for the last week shows that the economic situation in Bavaria has grown materially worse.

Though the open positions have increased to 12,000 in Munich, the number of unemployed men has risen from 15,643 to 22,261 and of unemployed women from 5,918 to 6,303. Of these unemployed 2,180 men and 574 women during the week sought engagement as salesmen and saleswomen in thirty-four jobs that were open.

The workers assert that they will leave the city for the country, where labor is needed. The Ministry of the Interior has ordered unusual agricultural projects to be carried out to provide work for returned troops.

The coal situation is steadily growing worse. The imports of coal are small and insufficient. Coal mining is suffering for lack of labor, since the war prisoners have gone or refuse to work. Not a single ton of coal has come from Bohemia, which recently contracted to furnsh 22,000 tons of brown coal monthly. The Saxon miners refuse to mine for Bavaria because it has fallen behind in its promises regarding supplies of food for Saxony.

Transportation in Bavaria is getting worse owing to the shortage in coal and the delivery of locomotives to the Entente under the terms of the armistice. In addition the gas and electrical plants are being kept in operation only with the greatest difficulty. Their operation is rendered necessary to furnish power to food-producing concerns. Business generally is suffering from the uncertainty of the political and economic situation. An attempt is to be made to revolutionize industry in Bavaria with State aid.

ASSERTS HE DEFEATED QUENTIN ROOSEVELT

Christian Donhauser Has Downed Thirty Planes—Hopes to Become American Citizen.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION, Dec. 28, (Associated Press.)—Christian Donhauser, a young German aviator, who asserts he defeated Lieutenant Quentin Roosevelt, son of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, in the fight in the air in the region of Chamery, which resulted in the death of young Roosevelt, today told the correspondent that the day following the combat his commander informed him the American he had downed was Roosevelt. Immediately afterward German aviators began arranging the details for the funeral of Lieutenant Roosevelt.

Before the war Donhauser was an aviator, although now he is only 23 years old. He is the smallest of the German aviators, weighing only ninety-four pounds. Soon after the war began he entered the service as an observer, serving on various fronts, but principally on those in France and Belgium. He began pursuit flying July 1, and between that time and the day the armistice was signed he had to his credit thirty planes downed. He wears the Iron Cross and other German decorations. The aviator is credited with twelve planes downed in eleven consecutive days.

Donhauser's home is in Hamburg, but before the war he spent several years in London. Although still in the German Army, he is planning a trip to the United States. Furthermore, he says, he hopes eventually to take out American citizenship papers and join the American aviation forces.

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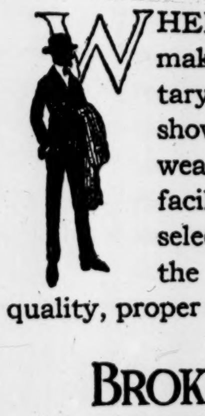

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TALK OF PADEREWSKI AS POLISH PRESIDENT

Berlin Paper Says His Entry into Posen Resembled a Triumphal Procession.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—According to dispatches from Danzig and Posen, coming by way of Berlin, it is purposed to proclaim a republic in Poland with Ignace Jan Paderewski as President.

Paderewski's entry into Posen, says the Zeitung am Mittag, resembled a triumphal procession. The houses were lavishly decorated, the members of Polish associations lined the streets, and the band played Polish airs, which the crowds sang with enthusiasm. Soldiers carrying rifles marched in the procession.

A dispatchc to the Lokal-Anzeiger from Posen says Ignace Jan Paderewski had a fainting spell Friday.

W. O. Gorski, a stepson of Ignace Paderewski, who is manager of the Polish Victims Relief Fund, said last night at his home, 118 West Eighty-fourth Street, that he placed no credence in the report that the famous pianist was to be made President of Poland.

"I am suspicious of any dispatches coming by way of Berlin," he said. "I do not believe Mr. Paderewski would accept the office, as he told me when he left the United States that he only wanted freedom for Poland and liberty for himself. I recently received a letter from my mother, in which she stated that she and Mr. Paderewski expected to go to California in the Spring."

Mr. Gorski said that the Polish Army had never occupied Posen and that the pretended occupation of the city was used as a pretext by the Germans to mass troops there.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Announcement was made tonight by the representative of the Polish Associated Press that Paderewski went to Poland to aid the present officials in solidifying the activities in that country. It was denied that his visit was undertaken with the idea of attempting to create a new form of government, as had been stated in recent dispatches from Paris.

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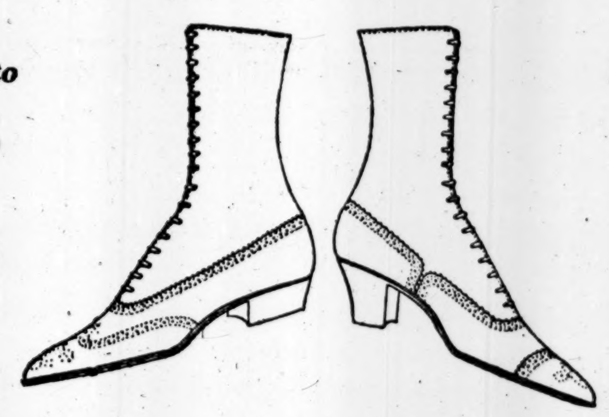

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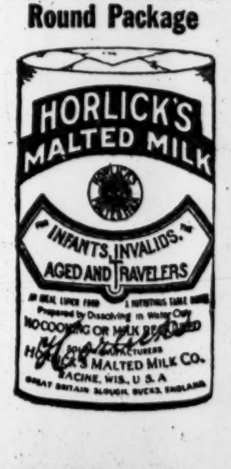
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Mr. Hearst is not a representative citizen; his loyalty has been very seriously questioned; our returning soldiers are entitled to be welcomed by those who have supported them in their work and suffering; and it has already been shown that it is not possible to give them such a welcome so long as Mr. Hearst is to have anything to do with it. We consider it an insult to our soldiers that a man who uses the American flag to sell his papers should continue to act as a member of this committee.

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These officers of various organizations also signed the petition:

Almira G. Stewart, President, Daughters of the Union.

Elizabeth Walton, Chairman, New York League on Urban Conditions Among Negroes.

Mrs. George M. Clyde, President of the National Society Ohio Women in New York.

Gertrude Robinson Smith, President, Vacation Association, Inc.

Jeanne H. Baker, Secretary, Vacation Association, Inc.

Jeannette R. Godgdon, President of the Woman's Municipal League.

Walter H. Lipe of the Board of Trade, Canajoharie, N. Y.

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W. T. Dunmore, C. R. Dewey, A. P. Bromley, J. L. Hughes, Francis F. Miller, A. Frey, R. A. Tate, and F. W. Kincaid, Directors of the Board of the Utica Chamber of Commerce.

J. Crawford Street, Treasurer of the Westchester County Chamber of Commerce.

The petition was not only signed by the President and Secretary of the Vacation Association of New York, but indorsed by the Direcsors of the association. The Lockport, N. Y., Board of Commerce also indorsed the petition.

The name of W. R. Hearst, as Chairman of the Military Committee, will be printed on the free tickets that will admit soldiers to the Strand Theatre, according to an announcement by the committee yesterday. The committee has arranged with the Strand Theatre for the free distribution of 400 tickets to men in uniform every morning until Friday of this week. These tickets will be for the first performance only, beginning at noon, and will be honored if presented from 12 noon to 1 P. M. Each ticket will admit two.

FORD STANDS BY HEARST.

Justice Declares He Found Nothing Disloyal in His Publications.

The New York American made public last night a letter sent by Supreme Court Justice John Ford to Bradford Merrill, publisher of The New York American, denying that the Hearst papers had been disloyal since this country entered the war. Justice Ford said that he had personally been strongly pro-Ally long before this country entered the conflict and had sharply disagreed with the American editorials, and he added:

"Yet it never occurred to me that anything appearing in those publications was disloyal or in any manner inconsistent with the sturdiest Americanism."

Justice Ford asserted that the real reason for attacks on Hearst was not his conduct toward the war. Of Mr. Hearst's enemies, he said:

"They comprise those euphoniously alluded to as 'the interests,' more bluntly as 'the powers that prey,' 'the malign influence,' and 'the Plunderbund.'"

SMITHS ALL TO GO TO ALBANY TODAY

Governor-elect's Cold Better and Executive Mansion Is Ready for Family.

Governor-elect Alfred E. Smith, who caught a severe cold while taking part in the reception to the men of the returning battle fleet which kept him in bed and under a physician's care for several days as a precautionary measure, had so far recovered last night that he decided to go to Albany today instead of tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their children will make the journey in a parlor car attached to the Buffalo express, leaving the Grand Central Terminal at 11:30 o'clock this morning.

"The whole family is going," said Mrs. Smith, who acted as spokesman for her husband to callers yesterday at their home, 25 Oliver Street, as the Governor-elect kept to his room by the advice of his physician. "We have sent on most of the things we expect to need in our new home, so that everything will be ready for us when we reach Albany."

Governor Whitman and his family removed from the Executive Mansion to the Hotel St. Regis in this city some time ago, and work has been in progress for several days to have the house ready on the arrival of his successor.

It is expected that his certificate of election will be delivered to Mr. Smith in Albany this afternoon. The delay in completing this was due to the fact that several Aldermen in Manhattan, the Bronx, and Queens failed to attach their signatures as members sitting as boards of county canvassers.

There was much scurrying around yesterday to get the necessary signers, all of whom had signed last night. The Board of Elections will visé the returns this morning and send them by special messenger to the State Board of Elections, which will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon. As soon as they make their official report to the Secretary of State the certificate will be issued.

George R. Van Namee, Secretary of the Democratic State Committee, who will act as secretary to Governor Smith, said the Governor-elect would not announce any further appointments until he reaches Albany. The few additional offices he will be required to fill immediately will probably be acted upon tomorrow. Mr. Van Namee went to Albany yesterday to arrange final details for the inauguration, which is expected to bring out the largest gathering of spectators seen at the State capital in years.

The Governor-elect and Mrs. Smith will attend the inaugural ball in the State Armory tomorrow night. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman will head the reception line and they will have as their guests many prominent women of New York and Albany.

Although Mrs. Smith said there was to be no ceremony at their departure and that only the "family party" was included in their traveling schedule, some of the Governor-elect's friends and delegations from Tammany Hall and from his Second Assembly District Club will act as escort to the train. Many of the Democratic organization leaders and friends of Mr. Smith will go to Albany tomorrow.

REBUFFS WOOER, IS STABBED

Assailant of Dying Wife of Soldier Is Viciously Beaten by Crowd.

Mrs. Mary Thompson, 24 years old, of 93 Bank Street, wife of a wounded soldier in France, is dying in St. Vincent's Hospital from wounds from a knife inflicted by Paul Ward, 40 years old, of 49 Bethune Street, who attacked her on the street when she rejected his love making. Ward is in the same hospital dying from the punishment he received from a crowd of men and women who saw him attack Mrs. Thompson.

Ward, who is a clerk for the Adams Express Company, hung around yesterday in front of the home of Mrs. Thompson until she came out on an errand late in the afternoon. Paying no heed to the men and women walking by on their way to the Christopher Street Ferry, Ward began loudly to beg Mrs. Thompson to give him some encouragement. Mrs. Thompson, according to witnesses, indignantly ordered Thompson away, whereupon he said:

"You have turned me down once too often."

Ward then attacked her with the knife, stabbing her again and again in the face and body. Ward, flourishing his knife, sought to keep the crowd away, but several men broke through his defense and threw him to the sidewalk. Here he was severely beaten and kicked. Some of the women who had seen him attack Mrs. Thompson jabbed Ward with hatpins. He was unconscious and still receiving blows and kicks when detectives arrived and forced the crowd back with revolvers. At St. Vincent's Hospital it was found that Mrs. Thompson had little chance to recover from the knife wounds, while Ward will probably die from a kick which crushed in the bone of his forehead.

Mrs. Thompson's mother said that her daughter had met Ward socially last September and that she had complained before about the man bothering her. Mrs. Thompson's husband went to France with the first contingent and has been in a number of battles. In a letter to his wife recently he said: "I got mine last trip, but I am not wounded very badly." Mrs. Thompson has worked as a stenographer in a downtown office since her husband enlisted.

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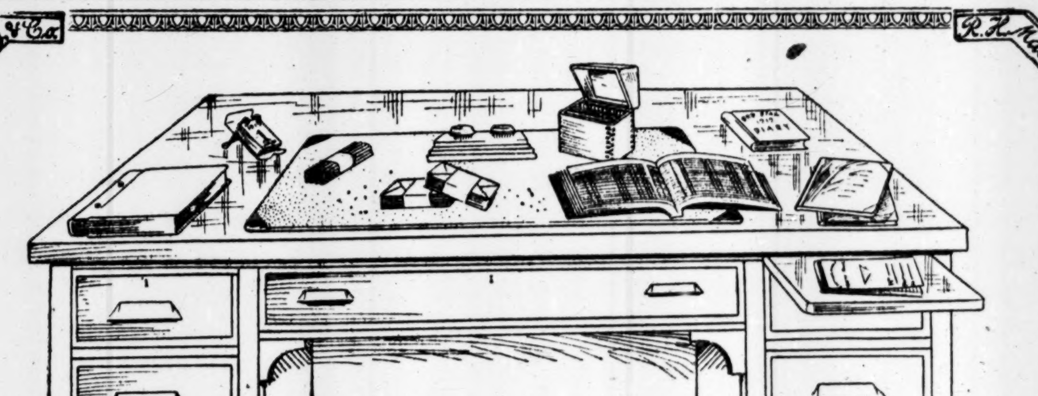

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MRS. D. So do I. Moreover, I always get just what I want, not only for myself, but for the children—they have such inexpensive dresses for the baby.
MRS. B. Yes, there are some for as little as 69c—those dear little bishop dresses that your baby always wears.
MRS. D. That is excellent. I personally need some blouses. My "stock is depleted."
MRS. B. Blouses! I will go right down with you this afternoon. I think we might find some among the 10,000 White Sale blouses to suit us. Think of it—they have some of white voile at 79c! And I've been longing for a new Georgette blouse, but who would expect to find them at $3.69!

HERE ARE SOME MORE THINGS THAT MRS. B. AND MRS. D. DISCOVERED ABOUT THE WHITE SALE IN LOOKING OVER THE NEWSPAPERS. AND THESE ARE THE THINGS THAT EVERY WOMAN CAN DISCOVER FOR HERSELF IF SHE ATTENDS THE SALE OF WHITE.

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MORE WAR WOUNDED HERE FROM FRANCE

Sixaola and Cartago Bring 51 Officers and 34 Men, All with Battle Scars.

FLIER SHOT DOWN 3 TIMES

Lieut. Paul D. Coles's Narrowest Escape Was While Flying 18,000 Feet Over Metz.

Two American transports, the Cartago and the Sixaola, sister ships formerly in the United Fruit service to the West Indies, arrived here from Bordeaux yesterday with fifty-one officers and thirty-four men who had been wounded in the fighting on the Western front. There were also fifty army and navy aviators on board, some of them wounded.

The Cartago left Bordeaux twenty-four hours after the Sixaola, but both arrived in port late Saturday and discharged their passengers early yesterday. On account of the Cartago having a quantity of high explosives on board, the wounded officers and men were taken off her in a naval tender in Gravesend Bay, while the Sixaola went to Army Pier 2, Hoboken.

Three Brigadier Generals arrived on the Cartago who had seen active service in France since America entered the war. They were William J. Nicholson of the Seventy-ninth Division, Daniel B. Devore of the Eighty-fourth Division, and John J. Johnston of the Thirty-fourth Division, who had returned under orders from Washington. They spoke in high terms of the fighting qualities of the American soldiers.

Surgeon Wounded Three Times.

One of the wounded officers on the Cartago was Major H. Nelson Jackson, staff surgeon, who served with the 313th Infantry, 79th Division, and was wounded three times. He carried his right arm in a sling, due to a wound received at Montfaucon on Sept. 29, and said that the shrapnel from the same high explosive shell which wounded him killed the soldier whose wound he was dressing at the time. Before that he had been wounded in the left arm and shoulder at Château-Thierry.

Lieutenant W. L. Baker of the 90th Aero Squadron returned on the Cartago wearing the French War Cross, which he said was awarded to him for bringing down one German plane and four balloons on the Verdun front in October. Another aviator on board was First Lieutenant L. M. Campbell of Owatonna, Minn., who had been on the Italian front operating a Caproni and doing night bombing over the Austrian lines. In flights lasting four hours he had gone more than 100 miles behind the enemy's lines, he said.

Captain T. S. Whiting of the 6th Regiment of Marines, who fought all through the Argonne region and was struck by eighteen pieces of shrapnel from a shell at Chateau-Thierry, also returned.

Captain Thomas A. Watson, who arrived on the Sixaola, was a member of the Wisconsin National Guard for twenty years and was Assistant Postmaster at Fond du Lac before the war. He was in command of Company F of the 128th Infantry before he was wounded at Fismes on Aug. 5. When the regiment started for France he said it was composed entirely of Wisconsin men, but the casualties had been so heavy that it now has 1,700 replacement men from all States.

"In the fighting at Fismes," Captain Watson said, "we were supported by the French on our right and the 28th United States Division on our left. The French did not come up and we had to retire to their lines. Our men went through the German barrage three times that day, and at dusk our losses were heavy, but we counted 648 dead Germans behind where we had by that time driven our line."

Captain Watson received the French War Cross for bravery at Fismes.

Aviator's Narrow Escape.

One of the returning aviators on the Sixaola was Lieutenant Paul D. Coles of Seattle, Wash., who wore the D. S. C. He was shot down while flying 18,000 feet over Metz, but escaped death and spent two months in the hospital. He is attached to the 90th Aero Squadron, and served a year with the French before America entered the war.

"In August, at St. Mihiel," Lieutenant Coles said, "I flew from behind a bank of clouds into a number of enemy planes, which opened fire upon me at once with their machine guns. Both wings of my plane were damaged, but I managed to reach our lines, where I fell about 200 feet but escaped unhurt. A week later I was attacked by twenty Hun machines in the same manner. Directly they opened fire I let go one shot and beat it for home. As it was, I was shot down and my plane wrecked, but I did not get a scratch.

"My luckiest escape from 'going west' was on Sept. 15, flying high over Metz, when six German machines tried to shoot me down. I was hit in the neck by one bullet and I felt myself becoming paralyzed all over. My indicator showed that the altitude was 18,000 feet, and I felt that it was touch and go.

"I flew on, firing at the enemy machines, and managed to send two of them down, and then my plane was struck and I started to go down. I managed to land inside the American lines with my machine a total wreck, but I escaped with my life, and that was a wonderful piece of luck."

The British transport Mauretania, which left Brest on Christmas Eve with more than 3,000 officers and men, is expected to dock at Pier 54, North River, foot of West Fourteenth Street, some time today.

LIEUT. H. B. SMITH KILLED.

Former Seventh Regiment Man Won His Rank at Spartanburg.

Lieutenant Henry B. Smith of the 104th Infantry of the New England Division was killed in action on Oct. 26, according to word received by his brother-in-law, John R. Brandon of 120 Broadway. Lieutenant Smith, who was graduated at Bordentown Military Institute, quit his place with Manning, Maxwell & Moore to enlist in the 7th Regiment when war came. While at Spartanburg he qualified for a commission at the Officers' Training School of the 27th Division, and upon arrival in France was assigned to the 104th Infantry.

Lieutenant Herbert Lee McNeil, Medical Corps, died in France from pneumonia on Nov. 2. Although a native of Houston, Texas, Lieutenant McNeil at one time was stationed at Bellevue Hospital. He was graduated at Johns Hopkins University.

Military Students Enter N. Y. U.

Early registration shows that many students who have been in service are planning to enter New York University on Jan. 1 to receive credit, when school closes next June, for a complete year's work. Military students, not previously registered in the university, will be able to start the first of the year and complete the regular year's work by next Summer. Courses already begun for the Students' Army Training Corps members will be continued, with credit being given for the work done since the corps was organized in October. Students who enter the university at the beginning of the usual second term on Feb. 3 will complete a full freshman year Sept. 1 by continuing their courses during the Summer.

Wounded Soldiers Entertained.

Wounded veterans from the debarkation hospitals were entertained yesterday by the members of the City Athletic Club, 50 West Fifty-fourth Street. Following dinner there was a musical program and then a vaudeville show arranged by the Stage Women's War Relief. Some of the actors who contributed to the soldiers' happiness were Chauncey Olcott, Louis Mann, Cyrus Edwards and Tom Lewis. Some of the soldiers narrated their experiences.

Only 302 Named On Day's Casualty List; Total for the Army Reaches 204,120

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The War Department today gave out one casualty list which contained 302 names, bringing the total for the army up to 204,120. No Marine Corps casualty list was issued today, but the total previously reported for that arm of the service was 5,280. The total for the army and Marine Corps is now 209,400.

The army list issued today contained the names of 45 killed in action, 32 died of wounds, 10 died of accident and other causes, 46 died of disease, 112 severely wounded, and 57 missing in action.

Summary of Army Casualties to Date.

	Previously Reported.	Reported Dec. 29.	Total.
Killed in action	28,124	45	28,169
Lost at sea	732	..	732
Died of wounds	11,342	32	11,374
Died of accident	2,243	10	2,253
Died of disease	16,864	46	16,910
Total	59,305	133	59,438
Wounded	125,426	112	125,538
Missing	19,087	57	19,144
Total	203,818	302	204,120

The following abbreviations are used to indicate rank and the nature of the casualty:

(DA) Died from Accident or Other Cause.
(DD) Died of Disease.
(DP) Died from Airplane Accident.
(DW) Died from Wounds.
(KA) Killed in Action.
(LS) Lost at Sea.
(MA) Missing in Action.
(P) Prisoner.
(RD) Returned to Duty.
(WL) Wounded Slightly.
(WS) Wounded Severely.
(WU) Wounded, (Degree Undetermined.)

Gen. General.
Col. Colonel.
Maj. Major.
Capt. Captain.
Lt. Lieutenant.
Sgt. Sergeant.
Corp. Corporal.
Bgl. Bugler.
Mch. Mechanic.
Wagn. Wagoner.
Mus. Musician.
Hrs. Horseshoer.

The names for which no rank is indicated are those of privates. The list is given in full for the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut; in other States the names of only the dead are given.

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BURCHILL, J. E., 31 W. 92d St.—Lt..(DW)
CIMIOTTI, W. E., 511 West 113th St.—Lt.........(WS)
CONIGLIO, J., 281 Front St., Bklyn...(WS)
CONNORS, JOHN J., 567 Hunters Point Av., Long Island City.........(KA)
CORTES, FRANK E., 200 Patchen Av., Brooklyn—Bgl.........(DA)
FINK, ISIDORE, 2-4 Attorney St......(WS)
KENNY, H. J., 133 West 52d St.—Lt...(DD)
LERCH, H., Jr., 66 Enfield St., Brooklyn—Sgt.........(DW)
MAMCHICZ, M., 467 Rockaway Av., Brooklyn.........(WS)
PALMIER, GIARPAN, 12 Stanton St..(KA)
STEWART, R. A., 580 East 134th St..(DW)
TARCEAS, C., 1,718 West 90th St., Coney Island.........(KA)
TIFFANY, G., 158 East 62d St.—Lt....(WS)
ZEICHNER, H., 3,714 Paulding Av.....(DD)

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BOSHART, C. S., Batavia—Lt.........(WS)
EGAN, GEORGE H., Syracuse.........(WS)
HUNTZINGER, H. P., Buffalo—Sgt....(DW)
JONES, ROBERT F., East Rochester..(WS)
MARTINEAU, WARREN, Plattsburg...(WS)
MATUSZCZAK, L. A., Buffalo.........(MA)
MILLENER, HARRY A., Rochester....(MA)
OUDERKIRK, NELSON R., Cohocton.(MA)
PAGLIARO, RALPH, Amsterdam......(DW)
ROSSI, EMILO, Rome.........(WS)
SESSONS, GEORGE B., Ossining......(WS)
THOMAS, PETER, Rome.........(WS)
WOOD, CLARENCE E., Lafayette......(DD)

ALABAMA.

GREER, HAROLD C., Montgomery....(KA)

CALIFORNIA.

BALL, J. B., El Monte—Engr.........(KA)
DUGGAN, PATRICK H., Bangor.......(KA)
GRUBB, WM. F., San Francisco.......(KA)
MOREY, CLYDE L., Windsor.........(KA)
NELSON, ARTHUR J., Los Angeles..(KA)

COLORADO.

GRUNIG, PAUL D., Hotchkiss—Lt....(KA)

CONNECTICUT.

CRETA, FRANK, Waterbury.........(MA)
LIKLEY, EDMUND M., Waterbury....(DD)
LOCKWOOD, M. K., Bridgeport—Lt...(WS)
LYON, FRED G., Danbury.........(DD)

FLORIDA.

JONES, JOHN, Warchula.........(DD)

GEORGIA.

BARROW, C. E., Brunswick—Wagn.....(DA)

ILLINOIS.

CARNEY, STEPHEN A., Ollin.........(DD)
COLBERT, DONALD R., Neoga.........(KA)
HINKAMP, TED H., Chicago.........(DD)
KERLEY, L. R., Simpson—Lt.........(DA)
LEWENBERG, ALFRED, Granville....(KA)
McDONALD, ANTHONY, Chicago.......(KA)
MARKE, GOTTLIEB, Moline.........(DD)
OLLIS, JAMES M., Beason.........(KA)
PHELPS, HARRY L., Plymouth.........(KA)
SMITH, GEORGE, Brownstown.........(DW)
STECH, JAMES M., South Chicago....(KA)
WEBSTER, ROY P., Chicago—Sgt.....(DW)
WEEDMAN, J. S., Farmer City.........(DD)
WHITE, FLOYD F., Chicago—Sgt......(KA)

INDIANA.

KIRKHAM, EARL, Michigan City.....(DD)
McALPINE, M. W., South Bend—Lt....(DD)
QUICK, CHRISTOPHER, Corydon.....(DW)
WEST, JAMES V., Jeffersonville......(DD)

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FALL, FRANK, Des Moines.........(DW)

KENTUCKY.

MARSHALL, J. R., Louisville.........(DD)
SWANGO, R. E., Sanders—Corp.......(KA)

LOUISIANA.

BROGAN, L. E., New Orleans—Lt.....(DD)
PETERSON, L. S., New Orleans.......(DD)
SMELLEY, LEON, Quitman—Wagn....(DD)

MASSACHUSETTS.

CUPPLES, L. L., Lowell—Lt.........(DW)
DURKIN, W. P., Milford.........(DA)
FREEMAN, W. J., Lynnfield Center—Lt.........(DA)
GARDINER, E. H., Boston—Lt.........(DA)
MARTIN, ROBERT, New Bedford—Lt.(KA)
SHEPARD, G. G., Worcester—Sgt.....(DW)
TAYLOR, J. J., Fitchburg.........(DD)
WHITE, A. F., Lynn—Lt.........(KA)

MICHIGAN.

FRALEY, J. A., Lenox.........(KA)
SCHMEISKE, L. W., Detroit.........(DA)
THOMPSON, ANDREW, Twining.......(DD)

MINNESOTA.

CASE, GEORGE H., Cyphers.........(DW)
ERICKSON, AXEL T., Comfrey.........(KA)
LARSON, J. C., South Minneapolis—Sgt.(DD)
LORENZ, GRANT W., Excelsior.........(DW)

MISSISSIPPI.

CARTER, R. H., Sumrall—Wagn......(DW)
McCLATCHEY, H., Holly Springs.....(DD)

MISSOURI.

ALLISON, JESSE, Holland.........(DD)
CLEVENGER, GLEN O., Vibbard.......(DW)
GIORZA, PETER, Lexington.........(DD)
REILLY, TERRENCE C., St. Louis....(DD)
ROWLAND, ROY, Excelsior Springs...(KA)
THOMPSON, C. C., Monticello—Corp..(DW)

NEBRASKA.

RICHARDSON, JOHN R., Herdville.....(DD)
STERNBERG, FRED C., Tilden.........(DW)
STROH, HENRY, Lincoln—Corp.......(DA)

NEVADA.

BULLERS, F. W., Hamilton.........(KA)

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

FINLAYSON, ALLAN, Keene—Lt.......(KA)

NEW JERSEY.

AHRENDS, FRED, Mount View........(WS)
BRIND, ALBERT, Paterson.........(DD)
SPENCE, A. T., Swedesboro.........(DD)
STEWART, F. D., Medford.........(WS)

NORTH CAROLINA.

CANDIFER, O. B., Hester.........(KA)
CRISP, L. M., Macclesfield.........(KA)

NORTH DAKOTA.

BURKHARDT, R. A., Beach—Corp.....(KA)
COTTEN, H. L., Cleveland.........(DD)
MARRIOTT, MANLEY, Wales.........(DD)

OHIO.

BAETZ, L. E., Cleveland.........(KA)
DEHLER, F. C., Cincinnati—Corp.....(KA)
JENKINS, ELMER, London.........(DD)
LISY, LOUIS A., Cleveland.........(DW)
MILLER, OTTO H., Marion.........(DD)
SPROUSE, DAVID E., Portsmouth......(DW)
STUBER, EDWARD L., St. Marys.......(DD)
WHITE, C. E., Fairfield—Lt.........(DD)

OKLAHOMA.

BLACKMORE, LESSE D., Stilwell.....(KA)
SCRUGGS, SAMUEL J., Shawnee—Lt.(DW)

OREGON.

BAIN, JAMES R., Portland.........(KA)
GOURDEAU, EMILE C., Portland.....(DW)

PENNSYLVANIA.

BOYKEN, WILLIAM, Chester.........(DA)
HOHN, JOSEPH, Greensburg.........(DW)
HARBACK, RUSSELL C., Mill Hall....(DD)
HAUGER, CHARLES R., Garrett—Sgt..(KA)
HOLLADAY, H., Philadelphia—Sgt.....(DD)
MacDONALD, Hugh D., Bustleton—Sgt.(DW)
MORGAN, E. P., Philadelphia.........(DD)
SCANDORA, ROCCO, Bristol—Sgt......(KA)
SCHAEFFER, H. M., Bethlehem—Corp.(KA)
SWANK, Z. T., Philadelphia.........(DA)
WAFFET, JOSEPH, Mahanoy City......(DD)
WARD, EDWARD, Westville.........(DW)
WILSHER, W. S., Carnegie.........(DW)

RHODE ISLAND.

McKEOWN, J. C., Lonsdale—Corp......(KA)

SOUTH CAROLINA.

REMBERT, FALMON, Marshville.......(DA)
ROWE, WILLIE, St. George.........(DD)

TENNESSEE.

BRASHER, WILSIE, Decaturville.......(DW)
DELIUS, C. F., Lafollette—Corp......(DW)
HOLLAND, H. R., Memphis.........(DD)
PREWETT, J. H., Memphis.........(DD)

TEXAS.

BRAHAM, R. W., Jr., Plainview—Lt...(KA)
DAVIS, JOHN T., Chilton.........(DD)
McNEIL, HERBERT L., Houston—Lt...(DD)

VERMONT.

FORBES, T. A., Barre—Cook.........(DD)

VIRGINIA.

THOMPSON, B. H., Burke's Garden....(KA)

WASHINGTON.

HOLLAND, HAROLD J., Seattle........(KA)
RATHBUN, GUY S., Kelso—Sgt.........(KA)

WEST VIRGINIA.

LEWIS, HARVEY E., Janelew.........(DW)
NELSON, GARNETT O., Simoda......(DD)
WILLIAMS, MARTIN F., Brooklin....(DW)

WISCONSIN.

HEIGHTON, PATRICK, Stanley........(DD)
LARSON, LOUIS E., Menominie—Lt..(KA)
WURL, W. L., Tomahawk.........(KA)
SCHMITT, P. D., Merrill.........(DW)
STENBERG, J. H., Somers.........(DW)

AUSTRALIA.

RYAN, PATRICK, Gatton—Sgt........(DD)

DENMARK.

CHRISTIANSEN, JENS, Kalundborg, Swenstirup.........(KA)

ITALY.

RICCIO, MICHELE, Piedmont, Talifa, (Libiciani,) Province Caserta.........(KA)

LIEUT. TENEYCK WINS MEDAL FOR GALLANTRY

Brooklyn Air Pilot Cited by Pershing—Two New Jersey Men in Honor List.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The Commander in Chief, in the name of the President, has awarded the Distinguished Service Cross to the following-named officers among others for the acts of extraordinary heroism described after their names:

Second Lieut. Walton B. Teneyck, Jr., Air Service, pilot, 96th Aero Squadron. For extraordinary heroism in action near Birquensy, France, Oct. 27, 1918. While engaged on a voluntary bombing mission, Lieut. Teneyck was attacked by seven enemy planes, (Fokker type.) Although seriously wounded, he manoeuvred his plane so skillfully that his observer was able to drive off the enemy planes. In the combat his plane was struck by twenty-five enemy bullets, some of which exploded the magazines of the observer's guns. In spite of his wounds and the damage to his machine he succeeded in landing safely on a strange field. Home address, Walton B. Teneyck, father, 91 Rodney Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Capt. George S. Butcher, deceased, 111th Machine Gun Battalion. For extraordinary heroism in action near Verdun, France, Oct. 27, 1918. Hearing a call for help from a neighboring platoon of another company, whose men were all casualties, Capt. Butcher quickly made his way there, manned the guns, and kept up a steady fire until he was himself killed by a shell. His action was purely voluntary; but, realizing the necessity of opening fire immediately, he disregarded his own safety in order to protect others, displaying the most heroic self-sacrifice. Next of kin, Charles R. Butcher, father, 201 Bellevue Avenue, Upper Montclair, N. J.

First Lieut. Frederick J. Trestrail, deceased, 113th Infantry. For extraordinary heroism in action north of Verdun, France, Oct. 11, 1918. When the advance of his company was checked by terrific enfilading fire from machine guns, Lieut. Trestrail halted his men and with great coolness ascended a hill to ascertain the location of the enemy machine-gun nests. He had barely reached the top of the hill when he was killed by an exploding shell. Next of kin, Mrs. Harry J. Ralph, mother, 152 Virginia Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

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JAM AT LANDING PLACES

Officers and Men Showed Thousands All the Sights of the Dreadnoughts.

It was estimated last night that at least 500,000 persons saw the great dreadnought fleet that rides at anchor in the Hudson yesterday. Of these several thousands—all that could be accommodated—visited the ships, the crowds on board the vessels becoming so large that shortly after 3 o'clock in the afternoon the flagship New York flashed the signal to the men on shore duty to permit no more persons to go out to the ships.

At 12:30 P. M., when the visitors were welcomed aboard the dreadnoughts there was a crowd of several thousand waiting at each of the five public landings on the North River. The largest crowd was at Seventy-ninth Street, the landing that serves the flagships Pennsylvania and New York and the Texas and Arizona. Another crowd almost as big jammed the landing ways at Ninety-sixth Street, from which is reached the Utah, Nevada, Oklahoma, and the new electrically-driven superdreadnoughts New Mexico and Mississippi. At the Fifty-eighth Street landing, where visitors are embarked for the Florida, Wyoming, and Arkansas of the Grand Fleet Division, there was another great crowd.

Those lucky persons who were in time to board the dreadnoughts had an afternoon they will not soon forget. Officers and enlisted men showed the visitors all over the ships, exhibiting their souvenirs of service with the Grand Fleet, and telling over and over again the stories of the thirteen months they had passed in the North Sea. Every ship has from two to a half dozen mascots, most of them Scotch collies that were enlisted in Scotland, and these pets came in for a lot of attention. The dogs on the ships are for the most part the gifts of Scotch and English friends of the American bluejackets.

It is expected that the first of the destroyers which have been held back by rough weather on the Atlantic will arrive today. They are about thirty of these little submarine fighters en route home and the first twelve of them are now due. On arrival the destroyers will anchor on the Jersey side of the river between Seventy-ninth and 120th Street.

Not since the Hudson-Fulton celebration has so many automobiles been seen on Riverside Drive. Both ways the stream of slow-moving machines was never ending, while one of the worst traffic blocks New York has experienced was at Seventy-second Street and Broadway. All the Fifth Avenue buses were in operation and they were all crowded during all the afternoon.

An officer on the Arkansas, in telling the story of the surrender of the German fleet yesterday, referred to the position of the German naval officers. They were, he said, virtually prisoners on their own ships and could not make a move or give a command without the permission of the Workmen's and Sailor's Committee that was on board each ship. The men showed no respect for their officers and did not even accord them the courtesy of a salute. One of the German destroyers that was surrendered arrived without a commanding officer on board, and the rumor in the Grand Fleet was that he had displeased the enlisted men and had been thrown overboard.

The fleet will remain in New York one more week, after which most of the ships will sail for the Southern manoeuvre waters off Guantanamo, Cuba.

FREE MILK FOR THE NEEDY.

Salvation Army Will Provide for Babies of Those in Service.

The Salvation Army has taken up the milk question, not alone to furnish quick relief among the very poorest families in New York city, but particularly to look after the babies whose fathers are still in the service. To the extent of its ability the Salvation Army will furnish free milk, even at the existing prices, to babies suffering from under nourishment, and will begin the systematic distribution of free milk to needy children with the assistance of business men, club members and public-spirited women, each of whom will sponsor one particular case until the need for such aid no longer exists.

A special bureau for this purpose has been opened under the direction of Colonel Margaret Bovill of the Salvation Army, who has charge of the social settlement work for that organization in New York, and who has a large corps of trained men and women assisting her. Each case will be made known in full to the person paying for a quart of milk a day, thereby stimulating a personal interest in the baby at stake on the part of the business man or the society woman helping in the work.

Milk for all the needy on the east side is promised by the East Side Citizens' Relief Committee, of which Jacob S. Marcus, President of the Bank of the United States, is Chairman. At a meeting of the committee yesterday liberal contributions were made to accomplish this. A supply of milk will be sent daily to all the schoolhouses having anaemic pupils, for distribtuion.

Reports of teachers who had been investigating conditions showed the need for this action, and a supply of milk for babies and children suffering from malnutrition was assured by the committee. Mr. Marcus named a committee to go to Albany as soon as Governor-elect Smith takes office to work for legislation to classify milk and other foods as public utilities.

Dr. Goldrich to be Orphanage Head.

Dr. Leon W. Goldrich, Supervisor of the Jewish Welfare Board Training School, will become Executive Director of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society's Orphanage at Pleasantville, N. Y., on Jan. 1. He succeeds Dr. Ludwig B. Bernstein, who resigned. Dr. Goldrich, formerly educational director of the Educational Alliance, was Principal of Public School 62. When the Jewish Welfare Board was organized a year ago, he obtained leave of absence from the Board of Education and became the first Jewish Welfare Board Field Supervisor.

Want Troops Taken from Russia.

Some thousand persons who attended in the forum of the Church of the Messiah last night the first of three meetings to discuss the Russian question passed almost unanimously a resolution to be cabled to President Wilson urging him to withdraw American troops from Russia and to use his influence to induce the Allies to take similar action. Since the rules of the forum do not permit the passage of resolutions introduced from the floor, the Rev. Harvey D. Brown, assistant pastor of the church, who presided, adjourned the forum meeting. Those present then elected as Chairman Miss Bessie Beatty, editor of McCall's Magazine, who had spoken on "The Red Heart of Russia" and had urged the resolution. Miss Beatty's argument was that the Russian people are entitled to work out their own government and their own destiny. She said President Wilson stood committed to that principle.

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Great French Musicians.

James M. Beck made the speech of welcome at a reception, concert, and supper at the Ritz-Carlton last night in honor of French musicians now in America, and in aid of their countrymen oversea. Henri Rabaud, conductor of the Boston Symphony, and Alfred Cortot, pianist with the Paris Conservatoire men, now on tour, represented the foreign guests. André Messager, conductor of the Conservatoire Orchestra, was detained in the West and could not be present either last evening or earlier in the day, when he was to have led a New York Symphony matinée in Aeolian Hall.

Walter Damrosch and the orchestra of the Symphony Society, by courtesy of President H. H. Flagler, took part in the evening's entertainment at the Ritz. The Reception Committee included Mrs. Damrosch and Mrs. Julian Edwards, on behalf of the Musicians' Club of New York, with Mrs. George M. Tuttle and Mrs. J. West Roosevelt for the American Friends of Musicians in France, an organization that has sent relief funds of about $30,000 to France in the last year. Among the 350 guests in the ballroom were Mr. and Mrs. James Speyer, Otto H. Kahn, and Mme. Sembrich. Assisting in the concert were Mme. Lashanska and Efrem Zimbalist.

Henri Casadesus appeared at the Symphony Society's matinée, playing Lorenziti's suite for viole d'amour, while Mr. Damrosch conducted Beethoven's "Eroica" symphony and Lalo's overture to "Le Roi d'Ys."

Many Concerts of a Day.

Sophie Braslau sang in Bohemian, which many persons discovered is the language of the new Czechoslovak republic, a group of Dvorak's airs at start of the Metropolitan contralto's matinée yesterday in Carnegie Hall. She gave songs in Russian by Rachmaninoff, in Italian by Sibella, and in Hebrew a "Sabbath Evening Chant," by Binder. Six languages, indeed, made a remarkable program, including modern French lyrics and novelties by a half dozen New Yorkers. Miss Braslau was in fine voice and was much applauded.

Vera Janacopulos, a Brazilian soprano, reappeared yesterday at the Hippodrome's joint matinée of the Russian Symphony Orchestra and the Paulist Choristers. Father Finn's boys and men repeated in part their program heard last week at the Lexington, and Master James McManus won an encore in Brahms's "Lullaby." Mr. Altschuler conducted John Powell's "Merry-Go-Round" and "Banjo Pickers." Mr. Besekirsky of the violins played Saint-Saëns's "Havanaise," and Miss Janacopulos sang airs of Rimsky-Korsakoff and Moussorgsky, including the latter's "Evening Prayer," from "A Child's Nursery," which made a sensation at her recent début.

Of others heard yesterday, Yvette Guilbert gave the last but one of her Sunday evening recitals at Maxine Elliott's Theatre, while Vladimir Resnikoff, the blind Russian baritone, concluded his series at Greenwich House. John Charles Thomas, owing to illness, canceled his matinée at the Princess, and an evening benefit for Italian soldiers, scheduled at Carnegie Hall, was postponed until a later date in January.

Music in a New Theatre.

The new Selwyn Theatre opened its series of monthly "concerts de luxe" last evening with a program of interest to musicians, engaging Greta Torpadie, soprano, and Leo Ornstein, the pianist. Michel Penha, 'cellist, appeared in place of Vera Barthow, violinist, who is returning from playing to the men under fire in France. Mr. Ornstein led off with Liszt's rhapsodies Nos. 12 and 13, and concluded with Liszt's D flat étude and "Rigoletto" fantasy, in addition to a Chopin group midway in the bill. Miss Torpadie sang Ornstein's "The Mother's Croon," Mrs. Salter's "Last Night I Heard the Nightingale," and Arne's "Lass With the Delicate Air."

At the Metropolitan last evening Mischa Levitzki played with Hageman and the orchestra Liszt's E flat pianoforte concerto and solo pieces, including Rubinstein's staccato study, Liszt's concert study, and the Schubert-Liszt popular "Marche Militaire." Claudia Muzio sang "Depuis le Jour" from Charpentier's "Louise," and the jewel song from "Faust." Robert Couzinou, the new French baritone, was heard in an air from "Lakme," and songs by Gretchaninoff, Duparc, and Deroplede.

"Fra Diavolo" for the Park.

While an audience in khaki and blue filled the Park Theatre at last night's performance of "The Gondoliers" for soldiers, sailors, and marines, William Wade Hinshaw, President of the Society of American Singers, announced that his next revival would be an all-star production of "Fra Diavolo," in the week of Jan. 13, a fortnight hence. The principal artists will include Orville Harrold, in the title rôle; Maggie Teyte, as Zerlina; Craig Campbell, as Lorenzo; William Danforth, as Beppo; Frank Moulan, as Lord Allcash; Blanche Duffield, as Lady Allcash, and Herbert Waterous, as Matteo.

Mr. Hinshaw also announced "Martha," "Cavalleria Rusticana," and "I Pagliacci," in which Messrs. Harrold, Riccardo Martin, and Craig Campbell will appear in the several tenor rôles. While this marks a return to the society's earlier plan of opera comique, as produced earlier in the season, it does not mean that the Gilbert and Sullivan operas are through.

"The Gondoliers" and "The Mikado" will be continued in every week's program, and there have already been tentative rehearsals for "The Yeoman of the Guard."

There were 1,600 men in uniform in last night's audience, and Manager Lawrence Anhalt had a force of volunteer girl ushers from the Stage Workers' War Relief, headed by Miss Grace George.

"Crispino" and "Fiammette."

"Crispino e la Cemare," by the brothers Ricci, an opera much in vogue in Adelina Patti's day, will be General Manager Gatti Casazza's next revival at the Metropolitan, where it never has been sung.

Wednesday of next week is the date, and the caste will be: Annetta, Mme. Hempel; the Fairy, Miss Braslau; Crispino, Mr. Scotti; Dr. Fabrizio, Mr. Chalmers; Dr. Mirabolano, Mr. De Segurola; Don Asdrubale, Mr. Ananian; Contino del Fiore, Mr. Paltrinieri; Bortolo, Mr. Audisio. Mr. Papi will conduct.

Mr. Gatti also announced yesterday that Xavier Leroux's "La Reine Fiammette," with Miss Farrar in the title rôle, will be produced in the week of Jan. 20.

More Metropolitan Novelties.

Four weeks from tomorrow a merry opera war will be renewed in New York, and the hum of campaign plans is already "a plague on both your houses." There is no armistice here or in Chicago.

Since starting his eleventh season the silent Metropolitan impresario has told of other novelties and revivals soon to be heard on Broadway.

"The three new one-act Puccini operas," said Mr. Gatti, "as well as the revival of Verdi's 'Forza del Destino,' new to many today, have interested the public of New York, as I hoped they would, during our season's opening weeks. So also, I hope, will our newest revival of Weber's 'Oberon' in English.

"My old friend, the distinguished operatic baritone, Victor Maurel, has made sketches for the scenery for Gounod's 'Mireille,' which will be sung during the second half of the season. Mr. Maurel is a painter as well as a singer, and as he—like Mistral, upon whose poem the opera is based—is a Provençal, no one is better qualified to suggest the atmosphere of the poetic land of Provence.

"As yet I am not ready to announce the dates of the first performances of the two new American operas, Mr. Breil's 'The Legend,' and Mr. Hugo's 'The Temple Dancer,' nor of the Russian ballet, 'Petrushka.'"

GALA BENEFIT EARNS $12,000

Big Brothers' Charity Is Aided by Wounded from Camps.

About $12,000 was netted at the Hippodrome last night at a performance held under the auspices of the Catholic Big Brothers. A chorus of wounded men from Camps Merritt and Upton, who had been drilled by Donald Brian, was one of the features of the program. Others who appeared included Ed Wynn, De Wolf Hopper, Chauncey Olcott, Lucille Cavanagh, Bessie McCoy Davis, Andrew Mack, and many more.

In the absence of Governor Walsh of Massachusetts, who was to have spoken, an addres was made by Bishop Hayes.

Unveil Tablet to Bronx Soldiers.

A tablet containing the names of 700 men in the service of the United States from the Van Ness district of the Bronx was unveiled at Union Court Road and White Plains Avenue yesterday afternoon. Eleven names on the roll were those of men killed in the service. A crowd of 2,500 witnessed the ceremonies, over which State Senator John J. Dunnigan presided. Rev. Daniel J. Curley pronounced the invocation and addresses were made by Borough President Henry Bruckner of the Bronx, Christopher C. Keenan, Deputy Appraiser of the Port; Robert L. Moran, Acting President of the Board of Aldermen, and Assemblyman Thomas J. McDonald and Dr. John F. Condon.

1,000 Stage Children Entertained.

Two organizations of stage children gave their annual holiday entertainments in local theatres last night, and in both cases gifts were distributed from Christmas trees on the stage. At the Hudson Theatre about 500 stage children, members of the organization of which Bijou Fernandez is President, were entertained with the second act of "Daddies" and other features. At the Comedy Theatre the Stage Children's Fund, Inc., of which Lee Shubert is the head, presented "Juvenile Mimic Land," and provided gifts and entertainment for about as many more.

Ned Wayburn Ill with Influenza.

Ned Wayburn, the stage director, is ill at his home at Bayside, L. I. He was seized several days ago with an attack of influenza, which now threatens to turn to pneumonia, and his physician said last night that his condition was serious.

Newton Promotes R. D. Conklin.

ALBANY, Dec. 29.—Attorney General-elect Charles D. Newton tonight announced that he would appoint Robert S. Conklin as Deputy Attorney General, in charge of the New York office. Mr. Conklin is at present a deputy there.

THE SCREEN

The Rivoli celebrates its first anniversary this week, and it started the celebration yesterday with one of the best all-round programs it has had in the year of its existence.

First comes the overture, the Bacchanale from "Samson and Delilah," well played by Erno Rapee's orchestra.

"Kilauea—The Hawaiian Volcano" is next. It is an unusual picture of a slow-flowing, boiling lake of lava made by a new Prizma natural color process which seems to mark a noteworthy advance in color photography. Scenes that would make any man wonder at the earth upon which he lived have been reproduced with realistic effect.

It is reported that Curtiss has built an airplane that can carry fifty passengers, but the hundreds of persons who filled the Rivoli yesterday afternoon were carried up and over the City of Washington by a single machine. They held to the arms of their chairs and dizzily watched the Monument revolve beneath them and the Capitol spin around like a top. They saw another 'plane whirl and dive above them and seem to go backward as their own shot by at greater speed.

These sentences do not exaggerate the sensations of the spectators of "Washington's Sky Patrol," which is the most thrilling airplane film exhibited here since "Flying with the Marines." The intermittent applause, quick exclamations, and nervous laughter that came from here, there, and everywhere in the house as the picture was shown were evidence of the sensations of its spectators. The film was made for the Rivoli by J. Thomas Baltzell.

Several good numbers on the program, especially musical ones, must be skipped here—it being mentioned in passing that the introduction of Will Rogers, "natural as life," and several of his typical, timely observations was a pleasing surprise—and a word must be said about Cecil B. De Mille's "The Squaw Man." The well-known old melodrama has been made into an interseting photoplay by the competent Mr. De Mille and an exceptional cast, including Elliott Dexter, Ann Little, Katherine MacDonald, Theodore Roberts, Tully Marshall, and Charles Ogle.

Emerging from the forest of litigation over the question of who should have control of her services, Anita Stewart returned to the screen yesterday in "Virtuous Wives," at the Strand. Miss Stewart is a most attractive person with sufficient ability to express moods and meanings intelligently. And in "Virtuous Wives" she is excellently supported by Conway Tearle, Mrs. De Wolf Hopper, and Edwin Arden. Also, George Loane Tucker, who directed the production, deserves credit for extraordinary workmanship.

But the worthy efforts of every one concerned are wasted on the play. It is based upon a story by Owen Johnson and is presented as a view of high society with a moral. If it is a view of any kind of society, its only moral is that men and women may break as many middle-class mommandments as they please without injury to their characters. Some of the people in the play are unforgivably stupid and others are as vain and vicious as good respectable folk can imagine, but everybody is miraculously reformed in the last reel and becomes virtuous and intelligent—all because a little boy is nearly drowned.

Some beautiful color pictures of Versailles, some good music, and the Topical Review repay one for going to the Strand this week, however.

Charles Ray, one of the most capable of screen actors, is in a delightful comedy, "String Beans," at the Rialto. With him in the cast are Jane Novak, John P. Lockney, Donald MacDonald, Al Filson, and Otto Hoffman, all of whom play their parts well. The photoplay is an Ince production directed by Victor L. Scherzinger, and up to the high average of both producer and director. There is nothing significant or important about its story—it is just good, amusing entertainment.

"The Storm," a picture of a destroyer in rough weather, produced by the Educational Films Corporation, and some views made from the racing car of a scenic railway thrill the spectators.

Allen Holubar's "The Heart of Humanity," with Dorothy Phillips, continues in its second week at the Broadway.

COLLEGE POST FOR WILSON?

University of North Carolina Said to Have Offered $20,000 a Year.

Special to The New York Times.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 29.—At the close of his Administration President Wilson may have the Presidency of the University of North Carolina at $20,000 a year if he will accept it. This was made known here today when those who had been urging the claims of sundry educators to the university Presidency were urged to delay the election of a head of the institution in the hope of interesting Mr. Wilson, who seems to have received the proposal before setting sail for Europe.

The salary suggested can be provided for, it is understood, from a bequest from the millions of the late Henry M. Flagler, whose wife was Miss Mary Lilly Kenan of Raleigh. Mrs. Flagler, whose second husband was Judge Bingham of Kentucky, left a large sum to the university available for professors' salaries.

ZIONIST DELEGATES SPEAK.

Reception for Them on Eve of Departure for Paris.

The Zionist Organization of America tendered a reception at the Hotel McAlpin last night to Judge Julian W. Mack, President of the society, and to Jacob de Haas, Executive Secretary, on the eve of their departure for Paris as representatives of the Zionist Congress recently held in Philadelphia. They and Colonel Harry Cutler, who is also a delegate, told the 300 members present of the hope they harbored of coming back with the message that Zion had become a fact.

Other speakers who bade the delegates godspeed were Dr. S. Levin, a member of the first Russian Duma; Rabbi David de Sola Pool of Temple Shearith Israel; Dr. Ben Zion Mossinsohn, rector of the Jewish High School at Jaffa, Palestine, and Morris Rothenberg, President of the Zionist Council. Dr. Harry Friedenwald of Baltimore presided.

Judge Mack was greeted with loud applause upon his appearance, the members standing in his honor. In opening his address he asserted that there had been a marked swing of the Jews toward Zionism.

"This is a critical time in the history of Jewry," he said. "Never in twenty centuries has there been so momentous a conference as that which will take place in Paris. We delegates go to lay before the nations of the world and especially before that great leader of humanity, Woodrow Wilson, the requests of the Jews merely for treatment the same as that of any of the other peoples of the world. If we get what we want, the Jews will be able to carry through the project that has been so dear to their hearts."

Judge Mack then announced that $50,000 had already been contributed to the $3,000,000 fund to be raised for the reconstruction of Palestine by Sigmund Elsner of Red Bank, N. J., and Mrs. Joseph Fels of Philadelphia.

At the first annual convention of the Zionist Society of Engineers, held yesterday in the Engineering Societies Building, 29 West Thirty-ninth Street, plans were discussed for the restoration and reclamation of Palestine. James Haines, the Chairman, announced that in the near future the organization will send several engineers to Palestine to make a survey of the natural resources of the country.

Saved Flag from the Flames.

Alfred Hovorka, driver of Engine 32, climbed through a circle of fire yesterday morning to the tip of the flagpole on Fulton Market, and saved the American flag from being destroyed by the flames. A big crowd, gathered to watch the fire, cheered and applauded the fireman's act. A curl of smoke coming from the building caught the eye of a watchman and his alarm brought much apparatus and the fireboat George B. McClellan. Before the fire was out, four offices on the third and fourth floors had been burned out, with damage estimated at $10,000.

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THE BRITISH ANSWER.

The most notable thing about the British election was not that Asquith or Henderson or Christabel Pankhurst was defeated, or that the Coalition is victorious, or even that it won by a landslide. The most notable thing is that wherever the British voter could detect the faintest smell of pacifism, or Bolshevism, or any of the brood of ugly monsters that have given the world so much trouble, he joyously tracked the smell to its place of origin and trampled to death whatever he found there. He put down all those things with the soles of his boots. He has had no chance to express his opinion of these creatures, and the propagandists have been able to say, knowingly, "Wait and see; "the Coalition misrepresents the British workman; strange things are "brewing in England; watch for new "Lenines there." Well, the British workman and the British voter have spoken at last, the British lion has roared, and nothing but pieces are left of the enemy. The women voters joined nobly in the work and did their part to show that the lioness has the same pedigree as the lion. If no other nation has taken its stand on Bolshevism and pacifism and the more pestilent types of socialism, Britain has; and she has served notice on them all where they can find her when they want her.

Why was Ramsay MacDonald, the pro-German, defeated; why Philip Snowden, the pacifist; why Arthur Henderson, the Labor leader? Why were the majorities for the Coalition leaders and against the leading pacifists and friends of the Bolsheviki so enormous? Why, for that matter, was Asquith defeated at all? He is a patriot true and tried; but he was suspected of favoring easy terms for Germany. Popular in his district, there is only one thing that could defeat him. Great Britain's answer to Germany, pacifism, the Bolsheviki, and the advocates of a gentle truce with Germany until the next war, has been made. None of them will have any hope of her henceforth, and yet the rumors that there was weakness and mawkishness in her had been so industriously spread from Berlin and from Petrograd that many believed them.

CITY WATERSIDE IMPROVEMENT.

Controller Craig has been asking for plans and particulars regarding improvements alongshore, as though the lack of details was all that prevented that first aid to commerce. Dock Commissioner Hulbert now addresses to the financial authorities of the city a recapitulation of his plans which they have ignored, and asks whether they will co-operate or obstruct his proposals, or whether they have anything else to suggest.

First on the list is the familiar proposal for the removal of the Sound steamers to the East River in order to make room for ocean steamers on the west side. There are objections drawn from the convenience of those who do not like to move, but they seem overbalanced by the fact that the proposal kills two birds with one stone. Next Commissioner Hulbert proposes repairs to existing piers, and more profitable use of them. The piers and the costs are catalogued, and the Commissioner repeats his question whether the City Government will co-operate or obstruct. Finally the Commissioner renews his proposal for creating facilities for commerce at considerable expense, running into millions. That is a tender point in the city's straitened finances, but mark how the Commissioner treats it. He asks authority to spend funds for this purpose only on contract for rental on terms which will make the new piers a gift to the city after twenty years, and which will carry the cost meanwhile.

All this is "old stuff," and accordingly the Commissioner may be pardoned for asking again with some signs of irritation his question, which perhaps may be irritating to those who need arousing in some manner, whether the city's financial authorities will co-operate, or obstruct, or suggest some other alternative to the loss of trade which belongs to New York, but for which bids are made by those who would like to take it away from us. It is such bad business to turn away good business that it is difficult to see on the face of the correspondence the reason for doing it. Since the Dock Commissioner is asking for authority rather than for cash, he backs those who have the authority within their gift into a corner from which escape will be difficult with credit unless they have some answer to his questions indicating that his plans are less excellent than they appear.

THE TARDY WAR TAX BILL.

The consideration of the Federal War Tax bill by the Conference Committee of Congress begins with the week, within a day or two of the time when tax returns are due under existing law. Notwithstanding the deliberation of its preparation, recent facts show that it is far from meeting the necessities of the case. It is announced that the Government's guarantee of the price of wheat will require an amount between $500,000,000 and a round billion, and now a separate bill will be necessary to provide the funds. Nobody should be surprised by what everybody knew, except the providers of the funds. On the other hand, the reduction of the Government's war necessities proceeds at increasing speed. The Chairman of the House committee stated at the week-end that eight billions of authorized expenditures will not be made, the money returning to the Treasury. Besides, a billion or two will be saved by the cancellation of war contracts.

These are signs that Congress hardly knows what it is doing rather than that further delay will be justified to allow things to happen, for the information of those who ought to know more than they give signs of knowing. But criticism of their not knowing should be indulgent, for the state of the war alters daily in its progress toward peace. True it is that the War Tax bill should alter with conditions, but that is not a reason justifying further delay with it. It is imperative that the bill should become law within a few days, whatever it contains or is left out.

In October Secretary McAdoo warned Congress that he could not be responsible for the successful administration of the Treasury if Congress delayed the Tax bill longer. In November he repeated the warning. In early December Internal Revenue Commissioner Roper officially declared: "It "is clearly our duty to shape our "course for the application to the "current year of the law now on the "statute books unless the existing law "is superseded by a new law before "Jan. 1."

That now is impossible. Under pressure the Commissioner has said that he could delay until Jan. 15, if the new law altered the dates of existing law, but that is the limit. Even if the pending law should be passed after another fortnight, as is possible rather than probable that it will pass sooner, it would be necessary to collect taxes under the old law rather than the new. Otherwise there would not be time within the fiscal year for the preparation of blanks, the training of the collectors, and the allowance of suitable time for the taxpayers to prepare their accounts and make their payments. Congress has its excuses, but not pride in its record.

There would be some compensations if Congress had used its time to improve its bill, but in many chief faults it is the same old bill. It would be tedious to recite again the taxpayers' grievances, but room may be found for one criticism of the American Economic Association's Committee Upon War Finance, published on Saturday. In its elaborate $25,000 report the committee says:

> The law relating to both the income and the excess profits tax is now in such shape that the ordinary citizen cannot understand it, and, upon many of the difficult questions which arise, cannot get very good advice from the average lawyer, accountant, or local internal revenue officials. * * * In not a few cases it has cost taxpayers $700 or $800 to determine that their tax liability was between $1,000 and $2,000, and in some instances it has cost from $25 to $500 to determine that the taxpayer had no taxable income.

That is not the complaint of a tax dodger or a pro-German. Specifications are given which Congress will hardly deny, and cannot admit without confession of its fault committed against warning, and persisted in through years of opportunity for correction. There can be no justification for the same sort of bill now as when war impended. The worst of war conditions is now known, and there could be granted reduction of taxes and increase of borrowing which would have been indefensible when the future was unknown and threatening. Also now the period of amortization of the war costs could be longer than when borrowing began, thus requiring a smaller tax contribution annually.

Even if we could not avoid having the same sort of bill from the same Congress, we ought not to have wasted the opportunity for the collection of war taxes when the collection was good through easy commercial conditions and the loyalty of taxpayers. But now we are to have the burdensome war taxes levied in the odious manner, and with delays which will embarrass many and may cause bankruptcy to some. For the war profits are ended, and there is danger that the war tax will be paid from the earnings of 1919 rather than from the profits of 1918. Well managed corporations and wealthy individuals, who hire their accountants by the year, to protect them against taxes, as they do their lawyers to protect them against the laws, keep their books to show both costs and profits, and to make provision for taxes.

Some have made overprovision, and can turn this surplus tax money into their own treasuries. But those whose accounts are badly kept have not made provision for the demands of the Treasury at a time when profits and inventories are shrinking and when banking credit is accordingly costly and grudged. After Congress is forgiven for all else there will remain a debit for the carrying over of war taxes into times of peace, and doing so in a manner leaving taxpayers in a state of doubt and unpreparation for demands which cannot be escaped, and which in some cases are in danger of proving not compatible with solvency.

THE PRINCE OF MONACO'S LETTER.

If Monaco is the littlest sovereign State of Europe, the ruling Prince belongs to one of the most ancient houses of Europe. The Grimaldis of Genoa became its masters nearly a thousand years ago. Albert Honore Charles, the present Prince, represents that family and the Goyon de Matignons, who added Grimaldi to their name on the marriage of one of them to the daughter of the last male of the old Genoese stock in the early eighteenth century. By birth the Prince of Monaco is entitled to associate with the purplest patricians of the Almanach de Gotha. He is an enlightened ruler of his little State, to which he has granted democratic institutions. He is a wise old man of the world, honorably distinguished also as a savant. His chief pursuit or pleasure has been oceanography. Apparently he has varied it for some years by studying the mental iconography of the sometime imperial personage now known as Mr. William Hohenzollern.

Living on terms of intimacy with the then Kaiser for years, often his guest at Berlin, at Kiel, and in the Achilleion, his Corfu villa, the Prince had constant and the best opportunity to ponder his subject. It is no hasty observer, no romancing outsider, but an intimate and an equal, William's "dear cousin," sagacious, experienced, who recounts in a letter given to The Associated Press many conversations with him and shows the man, his image and very effigy. So far as the proof of Hohenzollern's responsibility for the war is concerned, no new evidence is needed. Lichnowsky and Muehlon and Baron Wangenheim to Mr. Morgenthau and the recently published dispatches of the Bavarian Minister to Prussia in 1914, witnesses and corroborations enough, have appeared, even if the major incriminating documents have been destroyed at Wilhelmstrasse and the Ballplatz.

The value of the Prince's letter is less in its positive additions to the documentation of the crime than in its psychological turning-inside-out of William, the exteriorization, the throwing on the screen of his mind, inferred, hitherto, from his words and acts. For years the Prince had been trying to inject reason, the sense of moral values, into his "devoted "friend, cousin, and admirer, Will-"iam I. R.," trying to awaken in him the sense of responsibility, to keep him in the road of justice and peace; trying to impress upon him the falseness and brutality of militarism. "When I condemned the militarizing "of a people as stunting individual "development," the Prince writes, "you described to me the advantages "of such a form of national educa-"tion, outside of its purely military "objects, because, as you said, it re-"lieved men from the heaviness of "their bearing." The shallow insincerity of this, the futile attempt to cover the real purpose of militarism with talk of its educational by-product, is illuminating. More characteristic is the imperial outburst of megalomania and old resolve for war, envy, and hate when the English squadron came to salute him at Kiel in June, 1914:

> If they oblige me to make war the world will see what it has never known before.

Ghastly reading, that, for the ruined, dishonored, and frightened exile in Amerongen. Power in war is always dancing before the War Lord's eyes. He might have fallen upon Russia, upon France. He refrains, so pacific and magnanimous is he, but he is always meditating war and power. He holds the Czar in his hands, he says. He shows his desire for peace ironically by appointing "the most vigorous German Generals" as delegates to Nicholas's Hague Conferences.

In his conversations with the Prince on the day of the Archduke's assassination, William, who had once said to the former that he had not "the "right to take a certain action which "would have conserved world peace," said: "Now I must do everything "over again." "History will recognize," the Prince writes him, "in "these two manifestations of your "conscience the truth of your responsibility for the war." On the same day William, the Prince telling him that the majority of the French people desired a rapprochement with Germany, said: "Yes, but we must "hurry, or else it will be too late "and other arrangements will be "necessary to establish the position "of Europe." President Wilson and England "understand that there is "nothing to do with Germany than "to accept her as she is." She would not be so accepted. Deliberately, and after long, vain efforts had been made to keep him from "making "the world see what it never has "known before," he let war loose.

A UNION OF INDECISION.

The fault which the Allies are committing in the front of their new enemy, the Bolsheviki, is the same they so long committed in the front of their old enemy, the German autocracy. They allowed the enemy all the advantages of the offensive, and merely resisted at whatever point the enemy chose in turn to attack. It was not until the allied command was unified that the Allies could do more than hold the Germans off. Similarly, the Bolshevist assault on civilization has all the advantages of the offensive. The Allies have not yet reached the idea that saved them from the Germans—the idea of a unified command.

It is cheering, for instance, to hear that a strong allied expedition is to reinforce the one already in South Russia, and will occupy the Ukraine. Not so cheering to read that this is all; that "military intervention in "that country by the Allies on a "large scale, such as the anti-Bol-"shevist part of the Russian popula-"tion desires, now seems further "away than ever." The same old policy of 1914-17; if the Germans throw a large force against Calais, hasten to hold and strengthen Calais; if they turn suddenly and attack at Verdun, hurry to meet them at Verdun; but content yourselves always with repulsing the particular attack and wondering what will be done next.

The Frenchman quoted in Mr. Duranty's dispatch this morning paints the Bolsheviki as having beaten their opponents in Russia to the ground and to have "begun to over-"run the Baltic provinces of Poland "and Eastern Germany," while in Germany proper they are gaining ground so fast that a union of Russian and German extremists will in time launch a "crusade for anarchy." The Bolshevist westward advance is made up partly of propaganda and partly of force. So far as it is made by force it is virtually unresisted. There is not much use in combating its propaganda, since its argument could appeal to none except minds so coarse that the very axioms of liberty would be meaningless to them. The argument is, in brief, that ignorance should rule and that knowledge should either die or consent to live on the terms of running the errands of ignorance. To a mind that does not instantly reject that theory there is not much use in presenting counter-arguments.

As for the fear that advance into Russia would or might contaminate the soldiers of the advancing force by bringing them into contact with Bolshevist argument, that merely means only a postponement of the evil day, for the Bolsheviki are on the offensive and will bring that argument home to the West without delay. When they do, they will be stronger and more powerful than they are now. The Allies can fight Bolshevism now, before its teeth have grown, and run the risk of having the cruder minds among their soldiers debauched by the argument that ignorance should rule knowledge; or they can wait until Bolshevism has spread that argument through the cruder minds not only of their armies but of their whole populations, and then fight it with their morale thus impaired. It ought to be a choice easy to make.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Royalty Has Ways of Its Own.

Some people, unfortunately, cannot see a difference in national customs or manners without assuming that it is a difference in morals, propriety, or at least of taste. This would be bad enough if it were not almost invariably accompanied with another assumption by the same people—that the customs and manners to which they are accustomed and consider best for themselves are the best there are or could be, and that departures from them by anybody are to a greater or less degree either reprehensible or absurd.

These folk are commenting in their several ways, but always in a tone of disparagement, on the royal pomp and ceremony, the backward walkings, the use of golden dishes, that marked the banquet given in Buckingham Palace by King George with President Wilson as the guest of honor. They seem really to think that the head of a great democracy was unfaithful to its principles when he allowed these things to go on in his presence! They forget how they would have felt—and how they would have howled with rage—if the King had paid to the American President less than the respect he is wont to pay to other guests of no more or less distinction, or if he had treated him as a visitor for whom he was not obliged to display all the resources of royal hospitality.

They also forget that under the laws of hospitality, as established in every land and time, it was the host's right to determine every detail of the procedure, and the guest's unavoidable duty to regard only the intention of what was done and with whatever grace he could command to fall in with ways that were not his ways. This is what the President did, and any other course of action on his part would have been about the last possibility of incivility. Sensible Americans took for granted that he would act exactly as he did—that he would be the courteous guest of a courteous host and in the British capital follow British habits on a state occasion such as this.

Impressed, but Not Oppressed.

After all, and in spite of the gold dishes and backward walkings, the banquet in Buckingham Palace clearly brought out the essential democracy of the British Government. In the elaborate ceremonials there was no faintest suggestion of inequality—none of condescension or of uplooking, on either side. That is the reason why both President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson were able without embarrassment to take their places at the magnificently served and magnificently surrounded table. In the case of both, what we like to think the special American ability for adaptation to new and strange conditions helped to soothe away the little difficulties of an unfamiliar environment.

The Wilsons, to their credit, are "plain people," but neither of them has ever been obliged at home to recognize a social superior, in the European sense of superiority, and while the Presidential office now takes them into circles abroad which they could not have entered without it, they do not have to change in any degree what may be called their personal attitude. Their fellow countrymen need worry as little as they do as to whether or not they can or should meet the requirements of etiquette in royal or noble houses. There are, for them, no requirements in such houses except to be themselves, and what natural good sense will teach them will be quite enough, as it has been quite enough, to carry them successfully through all aristocratical perils.

Athletics Need Reforming.

Much wisdom of a much-needed sort was contained in the two papers, one by Dean Angell of the University of Chicago and the other by Professor Marvel of Brown, that were read last week at the annual convention here of the National Collegiate Athletic Association. Both attacked the spirit as well as the methods of athleticism as it is taught and practiced in most American colleges, and demanded reforms that would reduce sports and games to their proper place in educational institutions—that place being the physical training of the whole student body.

Dean Angell pronounced against such costly expedients as paid trainers and special tables, the only use of which is to produce in a few students a proficiency desirable, indeed, in professional athletes, but distinctly disgraceful, as proving waste of time, in those who in pretense and theory are seeking a very different sort of education. The story of the King who aspired to surpass a professional musician in playing the lute still has its ancient lesson.

Professor Marvel went close to the heart of athletic abuses when he denounced the earning of money to support the various "teams" by means of gate receipts, but he might have gone still nearer. The fundamental evil is in making the collegiate games a means of gaining victories over competitors, instead of one to gain health and strength. It is largely, and perhaps chiefly, the absence of the competitive feature that explains why the training given in a military camp produces vastly more and better effects on the bodies of those subjected to it than does the work done by college athletes.

Incidentally, the minds of the camp graduates are improved as well as their bodies, and in both respects the improvement is of more use in civil life than are the changes made in either minds or bodies by the creation of playing field heroes. We do, indeed, sometimes hear of competitive drills, one organization calling itself military against another, for glory or a prize, but every real soldier strongly disapproves of them.

Seeking the Causes of Bolshevism.

President Poincare is quoted as saying, when asked if he did not fear Bolshevism, "Not for France. Bolshevism is a microbe which attacks defeated countries, not victorious ones." It is easy to see that there is truth in the statement, but perhaps the distinction is less between defeat and victory than between hunger and full stomachs, or, in more general terms, between economic prosperity and its reverse.

There is not one of the now victorious countries in which the microbe to which the French President referred is not to be found at work. Those whom it infects are the incompetents and the unadaptables—the people who are in a position not far dissimilar from that to which whole populations are reduced by military defeat. And whether or not such a defeat produced a rapid breeding of the Bolshevist microbe depends on the quality of the population, its education or lack of education, and the nature of the Government under which it has lived.

Bolshevism is primarily a slum phenomenon. It appeals only to those who have nothing to lose by any change, and who can hope, therefore, that any change will be for the better. That expectation is a wild delusion, but it is comprehensible enough.

THE CRUCIAL YEAR.

A milestone passed upon the road that leads
To that far future where our dreams come true;
To that glad earth when man no longer bleeds,
Nor God is shocked by what His sons will do!

A crimsoned path, as we gaze back today,
The years have hewn since ages first began.
We see through tears—for, lo! His children slay—
The ruin wrought when man makes war on man.

A year lies dead, with shame upon his face,
And shadows black that were by horror drawn;
His life was lived with darkness on a race
That, as he passed, saw promise of the dawn.

A promise old that man has known before,
When he has paused to mourn a year that dies;
The future to our fathers ever wore
A gleam of splendor lent by sunrise skies.

The promise now comes clearer to our ears;
We hear a voice our fathers did not heed;
The power is ours to make the coming years
White with atonement for an evil deed.

Can man be true to what of God in him
Brings peace on earth as this New Year is born,
Or, false again, must see the sun grow dim
And midnight come ere it be fairly morn?

It rests with him to choose the path he'll take
That leads away from reddened roads he's trod.
Shall man again his ancient blunders make,
And, as of old, throw all the blame on God?

EDWARD S. VAN ZILE.

BURLESON REPLIES TO MACKAY THREAT

Very Much Surprised at Talk of Contesting Merger of the Land Wires.

ASSERTS PLAN WAS KNOWN

Statement Quotes a Former Postal Official's Views on Heavy Cost of Competing.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Postmaster General Burleson today issued a prepared statement in which he asserted that he was "very much surprised" over the attitude of Clarence H. Mackay, President of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, toward plans of the Postmaster General for merging the land lines of the Postal Telegraph Company with those of the Western Union.

The statement was issued following the publication on Friday morning of a statement issued in New York City by William J. Deegan, Secretary of the Mackay Companies, at the time that he gave out copies of three orders issued by Mr. Burleson in appointing and instructing the then Government Operating Board for the operation of the telegraph and telephone service under Government supervision and control. This board is composed of Union N. Bethell, F. A. Stevenson, G. M. Yorks, and A. F. Adams. Mr. Deegan's statement said that no official of the Postal Company knew whether the Government intended to merge the Postal and Western Union companies, but that if this were attempted it would be contested.

The statement issued by Burleson reads:

"When Postmaster General Burleson's attention was called today to a statement by the representative of Mr. Clarence H. Mackay, President of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, in which fear is expressed that the Postmaster General plans to merge the land lines of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company with those of the Western Union and a contest of such merger threatened, he stated that he was very much surprised at this attitude of Mr. Mackay in view of the statement submitted to him in writing by the former General Manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, who was designated by Mr. Mackay to confer with the Postmaster General shortly after the President's proclamation taking over the wire systems was issued.

Quotes Postal Official.

"In this statement it was said: 'In the past, under competition, a great many agencies were necessary to maintain successful competition, and under a unified management many of the agencies employed by competing companies can be discontinued to advantage. Those who have been intrusted with the conduct of the telegraph business heretofore, if permitted to serve in that field under the Government, must necessarily change their viewpoint. * * *'

"With reference to the duplication of offices the General Manager of Mr. Mackay's company said:

"'Branch offices in large cities that have been established for no other reason than to pick up business in a given locality, because the other company has maintained an office in the locality or in that building, should be discontinued and the operators therein sent to other offices where their services are needed to supplement the present supply of operators. The offices mentioned for the most part are sending offices only handling outgoing business, the incoming business addressed to the patrons served by it being delivered from a fully equipped necessary office in the neighborhood.'

"He recommended also that unless it could be shown that a telegraph office in a hotel is necessary to serve that locality it should be abolished. He said:

"'Telegraph offices in hotels serve no purpose other than the collection of business originating with guests in the hotels. In large cities where most of such offices are operated there are regularly established public telegraph offices in the immediate vicinity, and there is no real need for local offices in the hotels. It gives the hotels a preferential service. Unless it can be shown that a telegraph office in a hotel is necessary to serve that locality, it should be closed. If not closed, no rental should be paid to the hotel for the space occupied.'

"He stated that 'as a result of competition between the two companies,' messenger call wires and boxes were furnished freely to prospective patrons at a great cost to the telegraph company and without charge to the public. This, he said, was wasteful, and 'should be discontinued and the public required to file their messages with the telegraph company.'

"He also recommended that the practice of giving credit to patrons should be discontinued, and that the service be put on a cash basis; and that there should be no deadhead service for any one.

Press "Very Serviceable."

"Mr. Mackay has found the newspaper press of the country very serviceable in the promulgation of his complaints against the Government operation of telegraph service, but notwithstanding the announced policy of the Postmaster General that 'there will be no change affecting the press-wire service except to improve it wherever possible,' the General Manager of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company in his recommendation to the Postmaster General suggested that the newspapers were enjoying special privileges which might properly be discontinued. On this subject he said:

"'The principal newspapers throughout the country for a great many years have been given a preferential service at a low rate. The United States Government when it wishes to establish direct wire communication with its various departments is required to furnish and to pay for the operators employed in the departments. Newspapers have been furnished with direct wires without any charge for installation or battery or attention to the equipment, and in addition the telegraph companies have furnished the very best operators without charge to the newspapers.

"'The newspapers pay the usual fixed going rate that is paid by those concerns that receive the benefit of the press rate, but who do not have the benefit of direct private wires. In this conection it may be well to question whether newspapers should be furnished with operators free in addition to being given direct wires, inasmuch as the Government has to pay the operators working in its departments.'

"This is one of the recommendations made by the general manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company which the Postmaster General has not adopted.

"In a statement made July 22, 1918, in connection with the President's proclamation of the 22d directing me to assume supervision, possession, control, and operation of the telegraph and telephone systems," the Postmaster General said, "I announced the policy of a unification of the telephone and telegraph lines; the process of unification now in progress is, therefore, no new development of policy to excite the apprehension of Mr. Mackay.

Order for Unification.

"On the 6th of August I appointed a committee to investigate and determine the extent to which branch telegraph offices should be consolidated or coordinated with branch postal stations, George M. Foote, Manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company at Washington, being named as one of the committee. On Nov. 18 the following order was issued and made public:

"'In order that the telegraph facilities may be used to the fullest extent and the transmission of messages expedited, the telegraph systems shall hereafter be operated as one, and effective Dec. 1, 1918, all telegraph offices shall accept for transmission all classes of messages now accepted by any one of them at the prescribed tariff rates.'

"In a statement of Nov. 19, with reference to taking over the cable systems, I cited the fact that 'the Postmaster General is now operating all the telegraph and telephone lines in one system.'

"The Operating Board for the operation of this unified telegraph and telephone service, of which Union N. Bethel is Chairman, was appointed and announced by me on Dec. 13."

Says Burleson Evades Issue.

When Postmaster General Burleson's statement was read to William J. Deegan, the Secretary of the Mackay Companies, last night, he replied:

"We would point out that not one of the suggestions made by our General Manager in the letter referred to by Postmaster General Burleson in any way tends to reduce the efficiency of the telegraph service, but all are in the interest of the elimination of waste and for the increased efficiency of the telegraph service.

"We have for years fought against the waste involved in having two telegraph offices in a hotel, and incidentally paying the hotel an extortionate rental. In most cases the telegraph companies have maintained branch offices in very close proximity to the hotels. I might instance the case of the Knickerbocker Hotel in New York. The Postal and Western Union both maintain telegraph offices in that hotel. Right across the street, not more than fifty feet distant, the Postal Company also maintains a branch office, and one block away there is a Western Union branch office.

"Our contention is that both offices in the hotel might be eliminated without any inconvenience to the public, and we don't think that anyone will dispute our contention in that respect. Many hotel offices could well be eliminated, with a resultant saving in rents and also the service of operators who could well be used elsewhere.

"There has also been a practice of maintaining telegraph offices in buildings occupied exclusively by one company, merely for the sake of corralling the entire telegraph business of that company, and in close proximity the companies may have public telegraph offices. This is another waste which was referred to by our General Manager in his letter to Mr. Burleson, and about which we think there can be no dispute.

"As far as the press is concerned they know that the Postal Telegraph Company has always given the best service possible to the press, and there was no suggestion in our General Manager's letter to Mr. Burleson involving a curtailment of the service to the press in any particular.

Opposed Choice of Foote.

"Mr. Burleson says that on Aug. 6 he appointed a committee to investigate the proposition to consolidate branch telegraph offices, and that George M. Foote, Manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, was appointed on that committee. We are glad Mr. Burleson mentioned this, as we wish to instance this as a sample of the policy which is being pursued by Mr. Burleson against the Postal Company.

"Mr. Foote is merely our local agent at Washington and yet he was chosen by the Postmaster General to represent our company without any consultation whatsoever being had with any official of the Postal Company. It was not until nearly a month later that we learned of the appointment of Mr. Foote and we promptly protested that a local agent was not the proper man to represent our company on a committee appointed to consider the closing of telegraph offices throughout the country, and we suggested that Mr. Reynolds, our General Manager, who knows personally the local conditions regarding nearly every Postal Telegraph office in the country, be substituted, but our request was refused.

"Mr. Burleson's statement again very carefully evades the issue. We are strongly in favor of the elimination of certain wastes in the telegraph service, and that is what we recommended in our letter to Mr. Burleson. We do object, however, to any wholesale closing of our telegraph offices throughout the country, which can only mean an impairment of the general telegraph service, and we think we are justified in being fearful of the treatment which will be accorded to the Postal Company by the committee which was appointed by Mr. Burleson on Dec. 13 to conduct the operations of the Postal Telegraph lines, that committee consisting entirely of telephone and Western Union officials, and the Postal Company being entirely unrepresented."

ARMENIANS ISSUE PROTEST.

Do Not Want Authors of Massacres Tried by Turks.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Armenians in America are much exercised over the report that the Ottoman Government proposes to form a court-martial for the trial of those responsible for the Armenian massacres, and through Miran Sevasly, Chairman of the Armenian National Council of America, have protested to the State Department against such a trial.

"The Armenians," said Mr. Sevasly today, "cannot have any trust in justice being meted out by Turkish judges, who were themselves either actual participants in the Armenian massacres or were in sympathy with them. Any such trial should be presided over by allied and American representatives. Otherwise it would be a mockery, a denial, and a travesty of justice.

"Not one of the authors of the massacres of 1915 and 1916 has ever been punished. On the contrary, the promoters of these massacres have been honored and decorated. It appears quite obvious that this publication of a purpose to try the culprits is intended to deceive the Allies and deceive public opinion in America and all for the purpose of gaining easier and more advantageous terms in the peace conference."

TO PROVIDE NEW SCHOOLS.

Controller and Board Agree on $10,000,000 for This Year.

Controller Charles L. Craig sent a letter to the Board of Estimate on Saturday setting forth that after conferences with members of the Board of Education it had been decided that an expenditure of more than $25,000,000 would be required within the next three years to "provide anything like substantial relief from existing congestion and part time evil in the public schools." In his letter the Controller said:

"The members of the Board of Education have indicated that upward of $8,000,000 of new construction can be carried forward within the next year and used in localities where the greatest urgency exists. For this amount of new construction new sites will have to be provided, the total cost of which cannot be immediately ascertained, but which may approximate $1,750,000.

"Your committee recommends that an appropriation be immediately made of $8,250,000 for new school buildings and $1,750,000 for sites. This will be made available for use for particular buildings and sites as speedily as the Board of Education determines and submits to your board the proposed improvements in accordance with their urgency. It is understood that this will be done immediately.

"A considerable number of school sites have heretofore been provided for the Board of Education which have remained unused for several years. The sites heretofore provided and not required for improvement in the year 1919 should be surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for assignment for proper public purposes or to be sold before the appropriation of $1,750,000 for new sites is made available."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CALLS 2 MINISTERS

Dr. Harry E. Fosdick Chosen as Preacher and Dr. Alexander for Pastoral Duties.

COMMITTEE'S REPORT READ

Dr. Fosdick Declined to Undertake Work of Both, So Will Confine Activities to Pulpit.

The committee named by the officers of the First Presbyterian Church of New York to find a pastor for the church since it was formed by the amalgamation of the congregations of the Old First, Madison Square, and University Place Churches, announced to the congregation in the Old First Church, Fifth Avenue, and Eleventh Street, yesterday, its inability to select one clergyman of the calibre desired for the pastorate.

The committee, which included Governor Whitman and Arthur Curtiss James, further announced its decision that one minister should be chosen as permanent preacher and another as pastor. The Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, Professor of Practical Theology at the Union Theological Seminary since 1915, it reported had been chosen as permanent preacher, and the Rev. Dr. George Alexander, who was pastor of the University Place Church since 1884, as pastor.

Dr. Alexander's work will consist of performing the usual pastoral duties without pulpit work, and Dr. Fosdick's activities will be confined to the pulpit. The Rev. Dr. Howard Duffield, pastor of the Old First Church from 1891 until the amalgamation, and the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, for thirty-nine years at the Madison Square Church, have been made pastors emeriti, and Dr. Alexander was to have been one of them.

The announcement that the pulpit of the amalgamated church had been filled was made by the Rev. Dr. Hugh M. Black, who occupied the pulpit yesterday morning, when he read the report of the committee. The report stated that following the declination of the call by the Rev. Dr. John Timothy Stone of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago, invited here by Governor Whitman's committee, which went to Chicago for that purpose, it was the unanimous decision of the committee to call Dr. Fosdick, who has preached in the church several times in the last two months and whose sermons attracted great attention.

Although Dr. Fosdick has declined calls to many pastorates because he preferred his work in the Union Theological Seminary, the committee extended him the offer. After consideration, he decided that he did not care to undertake both the pastoral and pulpit duties, but would consider a call as permanent preacher if a pastor were also chosen.

The committee then considered the question and offered the pastorate to Dr. Alexander. He demurred because of his desire for rest after many years of pastoral labor, but finally accepted.

A meeting of the members of the church to ratify the selection by the committee has been called for Jan. 8 at the church. With the consolidation of the three congregations as one, the First Presbyterian has become one of the largest, wealthiest, and most influential churches in the country, and it was the difficulty of filling such a pastorate that caused the committee to take the unusual method announced yesterday.

Dr. Fosdick is a brother of Raymond B. Fosdick, former Commissioner of Accounts of New York City and now head of the Commission on Training Camp Activities of the War Camp Community Service. He is a native of Buffalo, was graduated from Colgate University in 1900 and from the Union Theological Seminary in 1904. He received his A. M. from Columbia in 1918 and was made Doctor of Divinity by Colgate in 1914. He was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Montclair, N. J., from 1904 to 1915, and has been identified with the Union Theological Seminary since 1908.

He is the author of "The Second Mile," "The Manhood of the Master," "The Assurance of Immortality," "The Meaning of Prayer," "The Meaning of Faith," and "The Challenge of the Present Crisis." Dr. Fosdick is only 40 years old, and is said to be the youngest clergyman in the country to be called to occupy a pulpit as important as that of First Presbyterian Church.

FOR FREE PEWS AT TRINITY.

Dr. Manning Urges the Step as Tending to Break Down Barriers.

As a move toward greater democracy in church life, the Rev. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity, urged in his sermon yesterday that the practice of renting pews, which has existed since the founding of the church in 1697, should be abolished, so that all places in the church would be free to all who attended services.

"For the church of the future," he said, "we must all want a deepening of religious faith and religious conviction, and along with it we want less of narrow religious prejudice and sectarian division. In this great day all Christians must draw nearer to each other if they are to meet the church's opportunity. It is time for it to take some definite, practical steps to break down the barriers. I believe that our greatest need in the church is more of that spirit of fellowship and brotherliness and close companionship in a great common aim which makes the life in our camps and our army so wonderful.

"When a man goes into a group of soldiers he finds this spirit of fellowship. The barriers are all down. He finds himself one of a band of brothers, with a new zest, a new interest, a quite astounding joy and freedom in life, a cheerfulness and courage equal to any and all tasks. There ought to be more of that spirit of fellowship when we come here on the common ground of Christianity, where of all places we should find that Christian fellowship.

"With this in mind, I wish most earnestly we could give up all renting of pews or sittings in the church and make the seats free and open to all. This does not mean that those who come here regularly could not sit in their accustomed places, provided they came in time. It does not mean we should give less money to the church. We ought to give whatever we can to the church without getting something back for it, in the shape of a reserved seat, and I am sure all of us feel this. We have, I know, a thoroughly hospitable spirit here in Trinity Church. All who come here are most welcome. No one is kept standing in this church while there are seats unoccupied. That I hold to be a thing quite intolerable in the house of God.

"But the renting of pews is an obstacle to that full spirit of fellowship which we want, and which we know ought to exist in the church. We all know what a spirit of warmth and life there is in our great midday service, when the seats are all free. We ought to be satisfied with nothing which falls below this at our services on Sunday."

OLD-TIME REVELS TO GREET NEW YEAR

Hotels and Restaurants Are Swamped with Applications for Table Reservations.

NO PROTEST AT HIGH PRICES

Many See Shadow of Coming Prohibition—Proprietors Hope for All-Night Licenses.

With hotels and restaurants swamped with applications for New Year's Eve reservations and record-breaking prices being offered for desirable tables, the indications are that New York will celebrate the dawn of 1919 in pre-war fashion, free from the restraint of the last year and a half, which caused the public to frown with disapproval on any sort of revelry. Then, too, many believe that this celebration will be the last of its sort, foreseeing prohibition before another year rolls around.

The bright business outlook, the belief that peace has come to stay for a long time, and the rejoicing of parents over sons returned safely from the war are elements that will help to make the celebration notable. At several places it was said yesterday that parties with returned soldiers as the guests of honor had been arranged.

While no definite announcement has been made, the impression prevails among the proprietors of restaurants and cabarets that the Mayor will act favorably on their applications for all-night licenses. Last year, because of the war, Mayor Mitchel declined to issue any permits. "If we can't stay open, we will lose money," was the way one man put it.

Father Knickerbocker will be the host not only to his own people, but to multitudes from other cities. From all parts of the country, from the "bone-dry" States especially, have come hundreds of letters and telegrams asking for reservations. An idea of the demand for tables may be gained by the statement of Theodore Tissig of the Ritz-Carlton, who said yesterday that the Ritz had received more than 5,000 applications. "We have been simply swamped with telegrams, telephone calls, and letters," he said. "Only this morning I was unable to accommodate a patron of long standing who applied."

At the Plaza it was said that more than 2,000 bookings for New Year's Eve had been made. Twelve hundred out of a possible 1,500 reservations had been made at the Waldorf-Astoria, while the McAlpin, Astor, and Biltmore reported that they were rapidly approaching their limit. At the Knickerbocker it was said that every available inch of space would be taken by pleasure seekers.

A canvass of the more pretentious restaurants showed very few places where one could get a table. Paul Salvin of Rector's and the Palais Royal said that the latter place was entirely sold out more than a week ago. Rector's, he said, would be entirely filled. Churchill's, Reisenweber's, Murray's, and Shanley's reported record bookings.

Despite Liberty Loans, Red Cross drives, and other war demands there seems to be no lack of money. The generally prevailing charge of $10 a person, higher than in former years, has caused no adverse comment, according to hotel and restaurant managers.

For the army or navy man still in the service who would drink to the health of his friends there is no crumb of comfort. Neither the War nor Navy Department has shown any disposition to relax its iron rule as to drinking.

The Strike Committee of the International Federation of Hotel and Restaurant Workers last night issued a manifesto at their headquarters, 158 West Forty-sixth Street, in which they warn hotel and restaurant proprietors and the public that they will seriously inconvenience celebrations of New Year's Eve if the demands of waiters and cooks for wage increases are not met by the employers. Otto Wagner, Secretary of the federation and spokesman for the Strike Committee, said he had sent letters to city officials, to many societies, and to individuals warning them that the union was preparing to halt New Year's Eve festivities by a general strike.

"We do not wish to inconvenience the public on this day of celebration, the most wonderful New Year's Eve the world has ever seen," said Wagner. "The patrons of the hotels and restaurants are our best friends. But the employers have refused to bargain collectively with us, and demand a return to the autocratic system which was destroyed throughout the United States by the War Labor Board. The employers have announced that they are conducting a war to destroy our organization. So our only move is to fight them, and the only weapon we have is the strike, and the best day to hit them, and hit them hard, is on New Year's Eve."

The union members will meet this afternoon at the New Amsterdam Opera House, Forty-fourth Street and Ninth Avenue, to discuss the strike plans for New Year's Eve.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Keane of 28 East 130th Street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Viola Keane, to William J. McNamara, First Lieutenant, United States Engineer Corps. Lieutenant McNamara was graduated from Fordham University in 1909, and formerly lived in New York, his home now being Passaic, N. J.

Mrs. Edward Runge of 154 Bowne Avenue, Flushing, L. I., announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Reno Runge, to Dr. Paul Runge of Newark, N. J. Dr. Runge is connected with the Standard Oil Company, and although of similar name, he is not related to his fiancée. Miss Runge's father, who died some years ago, was an importer of Oriental wares.

Announcement has just been made of the engagement of Miss Marguerite Haven of Tokio, Japan, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Haven of 294 Claremont Avenue, New York, to Henry Tissington Wootton, also of Tokio, a son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Wootton of Boonton, N. J.

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LABOR PARTY LAUNCHED.

Chicago Organization Prepares for Next Spring Election.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—At a convention held here today and attended by 1,000 union delegates, the Independent Labor Party of Cook County was formally launched.

A constitution and a platform for the Spring election were adopted. Its candidate for Mayor will be John Fitzpatrick, President of the Chicago Federation of Labor. The mechanism of the new party is similar in many respects to the Socialist organization. Its affairs will be administered by an Executive Committee of fifteen.

The local platform of the party, adopted in addition to the national platform announced some time ago, asserts the Labor Party "has been organized to break the power of rapacious public utility corporations, greedy big business interests, and reactionary newspapers, which now dominate our public life," also to "establish a genuine democracy in all public affairs."

After condemning the corporations and local street car companies, the platform charges the old parties with wastage of the public funds, and asserts that "big business rules Chicago."

SEND GREETING TO BELGIUM

Federal Council of Churches Rejoices at End of War.

Among the passengers sailing today for Liverpool on the White Star liner Baltic is Major Pierre Blommaert, a Chaplain in the Belgian Army, who has been visiting the chief cities in the United States in the past two months. The officers of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, representing thirty Protestant denominations, with nearly 20,000,000 members, are sending through Chaplain Blommaert the following greeting to the members of the churches of like faith in Belgium:

"Your brave nation has held the frontier of freedom; your unity and your faith in God and in righteousness have stood the severest testing which ever came to a nation. We pay tribute to your soldiers, who for years were subjected to the keenest of suffering. We pay tribute to the plain home-loving men and women who have been so true to the best in them.

"That the spirit of Christ may guide the great Peace Council to form such a fellowship of nations as will secure to the smaller and weaker peoples the first consideration in their time of need, is our earnest prayer. This will but fulfill the Master's command that the strong bear the burdens of the weak.

"We were rejoiced to receive the stirring messages from you at the hand of Chaplain Blommaert, and we now commission him to carry to you this expression of our faith, our hope, and our love, in which we are sure our churches join as one.

"We could not enter fully into the fellowship of your sufferings, for we have been spared the outrages perpetrated on your soil; but we have esteemed it a privilege to enter into the fellowship of your determination and your triumph and to join most heartily and unitedly with all your people in gratitude to our God and Father for the ending of the war and the coming of peace. It is now our great joy to congratulate you upon the triumph of your years of struggle and the vindication of your deepest convictions."

FOR NEAR EAST RELIEF.

American Committee Seeks $30,000,000—Daniels Praises Work.

The following message from Secretary of the Navy Daniels has been received by the American Committee for Relief of the Near East, which will undertake on Jan. 19 to raise a minimum of $30,000,000 for relief work:

"I need not tell you how deeply I am interested in the good work which the American Committee for Relief in the Near East is undertaking. In all the horrors of the war the hearts of our people have gone out particularly to the peoples for whom the campaign is being waged to raise $30,000,000 for their relief and help in these days of need. The American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief has done a great work for humanity in days of peril, and I feel sure all Americans will feel it a privilege to make contribution to the larger measures of help to these persecuted peoples."

MISS SIDGWICK DIES HERE.

Member of British Education Mission Victim of Pneumonia.

Miss Rose Sidgwick, lecturer on ancient history at the University of Birmingham, England, who was one of the two women of the British Educational Mission which arrived early in the Fall for an inspection tour of American colleges and universities, died Saturday at the Post Graduate Hospital of pneumonia. The mission began its tour with a visit to Columbia University on Oct. 11.

The mission after leaving New York visited Princeton, Harvard, Yale, and other colleges and universities of the East and then went West, visiting the University of Michigan and other Western educational institutions, and then through the South, returning to New York about three weeks ago. They covered practically all of the country except the Pacific Coast.

Soon after the return of the party to New York, Miss Sidgwick became ill of influenza, but was thought to be well on the road to recovery when pneumonia developed. Miss Caroline Spurgeon, Professor of English Literature at the University of London, the other woman member of the commission, was also ill of influenza. The other members of the commission have returned to England.

Miss Sidgwick came of a family of famous scholars in England. She was the daughter of Arthur Sidgwick, for many years a member of the Faculty of Oxford, and her uncle, the late Henry Sidgwick, was a member of the Faculty of Cambridge. Her aunt, Miss Sidgwick, is head of Newnham College for Women at Cambridge.

Count Renzo Brusati.

Major Count Renzo Brusati, member of the Italian Military Commission to the United States, died yesterday at 11 East Thirty-second Street, of pneumonia following influenza. Major Brusati was 34 years old, and was educated at the Royal Italian Military Academy. For a year before the war he was Military Attaché of the Italian Embassy in London. At the outbreak of hostilities he returned to Italy and took up his military duties when that country mobilized. He commanded a group of batteries in the Royal Horse Artillery and fought all through the war.

He was twice wounded and several times decorated.

The funeral of Major Brusati will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of Grenville T. Emmet, 39 East Sixty-third Street.

Mrs. Benjamin May.

Mrs. Emily May, the wife of Benjamin May, aged 72, died suddenly yesterday at her home, 3.666 Reading Road, Cincinnati, Ohio. She was the eldest child of the Rev. Dr. Isaac M. Wise. She was born in Bohemia, and when an infant came to the United States with her parents. She is survived by her husband, who has just celebrated his eightieth birthday, and by her son, Judge Max B. May of Cincinnati.

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$500 AS AIRPLANE PARACHUTE PRIZE

Mother of Lieut. Bennett, Killed Aviator, Offers It to Develop Invention.

AERO CLUB TAKES IT UP

Committee Named to Conduct Contest—Methods of Attachment Important.

Mrs. Louis Bennett, whose son, Lieutenant Louis Bennett of the British Royal Air Force, lost his life while flying at the front, has offered $500 to the Aero Club of America to be used as a prize in a contest to develop the invention of parachutes for use in escaping from airplanes which have got out of control.

The offer has been accepted, and the following members of the club have been named to plan a parachute competition:

Major Thomas S. Baldwin, the balloonist, who made his first parachute jump in 1885; A. Leo Stevens, Colonel A. L. Fuller, Colonel Henry B. Hersey, Colonel James Prentice, Lieut. Col. William Thaw, Major Cushman A. Rice, Congressman F. H. La Guardia, Major R. W. Schroeder, Rear Admiral Mark A. Bristol, Commander Henry C. Mustin, Commander John H. Towers, Lieutenant Commander P. N. Bellinger, Lieutenant Godfrey L. Cabot, Lieutenant R. A. Preston, Ensign Raffe Emerson, Henry Woodhouse, Frank S. Lahm, and Augustus Post.

Several parachutes have been used successfully during the war, but their use has not become general and the relative merits of different types have not been established.

What Committee Will Seek.

Henry Woodhouse of the Aero Club of America said in a statement last night that the chief object of the committee would be "to find the best way to attach a parachute to an airplane or to the aviator, so that it can be operated whether the airplane is at an even keel or climbing or diving or side-slipping, or upside down."

"It must be remembered," his statement continued, "that when a plane is travelling at a speed of from 90 to 150 miles an hour—and there are machines going even faster—the pilot only has seconds in which to think and act, therefore the parachute attachment must be simple and must work instantly.

"The parachute may be fastened to the back of the pilot himself, or to the aeroplane, on the fuselage, back of the pilot; or under or to the side of the fuselage, or at the trailing edge of the lower panel of the wing, or to the seat of the aeroplane. But it must be remembered that the pilot is fastened to his seat by a safety belt, which he must unfasten before the parachute is opened, else he will have the unpleasant experience of having the parachute pull the upper half of his body in the opposite direction from which he is traveling. The parachute would eventually collapse, but so would the aviator.

"Having found the best method of attaching the parachute, the next important thing is to have a parachute that opens quickly, does not drop too fast and does not oscillate overmuch while descending. The average parachute opens in about a 150 foot drop, then descends at a speed of about twenty feet a second.

"A parachute need not be heavy to be safe, and weight is objected to in an aeroplane because it decreases the useful load of the plane. A parachute of Japanese silk about eighteen feet in diameter, capable of sustaining a man weighing 150 pounds, will not weigh more than fifteen pounds. The fear on the part of aviators that a parachute would weigh forty or fifty pounds is one of the factors that has retarded the adoption of the parachute as a life-saver. A large parachute is bad because it oscillates and slides sideways after it oscillates. On the other hand, a too small parachute will travel down too fast.

Discoveries of Pioneer Balloonists.

"Such pioneers as Thomas S. Baldwin and A. Leo Stevens found by practice that they could, to some extent, control the direction of the fall of the parachute by pulling the ropes on any one side of the parachute, forming a sail of that side of the parachute, so that it would result in the wind carrying the parachute in a given direction. They also found that if they were traveling in a current which was taking them away from the desired landing place, they could pull the ropes on two sides of the parachute and by decreasing the span of the parachute they caused it to drop faster, thereby getting out of that air current which was taking them in the wrong direction.

"Another important thing which must be given attention is the harness which connects the pilot to the parachute while he is descending. With a good harness the pilot will feel fairly comfortable while descending and he can detach himself immediately upon touching the ground so as not to be dragged over the ground by the parachute in the event of there being a strong wind close to the ground.

"Besides saving the lives of aviators and air travelers in case of accident it is expected that parachutes will be used extensively in future to drop mail and packages from aerial mail planes at stations where the planes do not land to get mail."

J. W. Jefferson's Condition Serious.

The condition of Joseph W. Jefferson, the actor, who was operated upon for cancer last Thursday at New York Hospital, was said last night to be serious. Mr. Jefferson, who is the son of the late Joseph Jefferson, the famous actor, is being attended by Dr. James M. Hitzrot and Dr. Gertrude Sturgis. He is 49 years old and has been living at 175 West Seventy-second Street.

Club to Greet Members from War.

The New Year's reception of the Alpha Delta Phi Club is announced as an occasion of welcome to those of the 2,375 members of the fraternity who are now in service near New York or have returned here from the war. An old time "New Year's spread" will be served at the clubhouse, 136 West Forty-fourth Street, on Wednesday afternoon.

Lamport-Hurewitz.

The first marriage to be solemnized in the new Jewish Centre at 131 West Eighty-sixth Street took place there yesterday week, when Rabbi M. M. Kaplan officiated at the wedding of Joseph M. Lamport, a son of Mrs. Ethel R. Lamport of Detroit, Mich., and Miss Estelle Hurewitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Hurewitz of 2 West Eighty-eighth Street.

PAY LAST TRIBUTE TO DR. CHAPMAN

Vice President Marshall Sends Message Here, as Also Does William A. Sunday.

Two impressive funeral services for the Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the evangelist, who was Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church from 1917 until May, 1918, were held in this city yesterday. A morning service in the Fourth Presbyterian Church, at Ninety-first Street and West End Avenue, where Dr. Chapman was pastor for more than five years, was followed by another in the afternoon at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church. The burial took place later in Woodlawn Cemetery.

The Rev. Dr. Edgar W. Work, pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian Church, presided at both services and read tributes to Dr. Chapman from members of his congregations and from evangelists and ministers who had been associated with him in his work.

Vice President Marshall sent this message:

"If duty ever called me to pay my personal respects at the funeral services of a great and good man it surely calls me to come to Dr. Chapman's funeral, and yet I cannot, because my duty is to the living at home, who need me. I do not seek to explain the passing of this personal friend, this illustrious Presbyterian, this great Christian and high-minded patriot. Had the war never come on, still Dr. Chapman would have lived in the hearts of those who loved him, but its coming brought immortality to him in the life of the nation.

"Early he saw that the fight was between Bethlehem and Berlin, and then he wielded the flaming sword of righteousness with such valor as to put behind him and back of his country the great denomination he so worthily honored, and which had so signally honored him. In Church and State he measured up to model citizenship. Till we meet again, rest to his ashes and peace to his soul."

William A. Sunday's message said that Dr. Chapman was his "truest friend," and that "next to the members of my family, I loved him more than any one else."

Other tributes came from John Wanamaker, a member of his former congregation in Bethany Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, and from the Rev. Dr. J. Frank Smith, who succeeded Dr. Chapman as Moderator of the General Assembly.

At the morning services memorial sermons upon the personal and pastoral service of Dr. Chapman were delivered by the Rev. Dr. Ford C. Ottman, Executive Secretary of the National Service Commission, and the Rev. Dr. Marcus A. Brownson, pastor of the Tenth Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia. At the afternoon service eulogies were delivered by the Rev. Dr. Arthur J. Smith, General Secretary of the Evangelistic Committee of this city; Colonel Samuel Brengle of the Salvation Army, the Rev. Dr. William Henry Roberts, stated clerk of the General Assembly, and the Rev. Dr. John F. Carson, pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn.

MISS LEACH DIES AT VASSAR

Teacher of Greek for Many Years and Once Honored by Japan.

Miss Abby Leach, for thirty years Professor of Greek at Vassar College, died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at her home in Poughkeepsie. In 1908 Miss Leach was honored by the Mikado of Japan with a distinction never before bestowed on an American woman, when she received from the late Emperor a gold cup inscribed with the imperial flower as a token of the "imperial good-will, in recognition of her services to the cause of education."

Miss Leach was born in Brockton, Mass., sixty-three years ago, a daughter of Marcus and Eliza P. Bourne Leach. Her father was a pioneer shoe manufacturer. She was graduated from Vassar in 1885 with the degrees of A. B. and A. M., and later studied at Radcliffe College and the University of Leipsic. The organization of Radcliffe College as an annex of Harvard, it was said, was partly due to her entering the university as special student with the professors of Harvard.

Since 1888 she had been a member of the Managing Committee of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. She was President of the American Philological Association, 1899-1900; member of the Classical Association of Great Britain, Classical Association of the Middle States, and Maryland Archaeological Institute of America, as well as of the Japan Society of America and the Women's University Club of New York.

She was President of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae, 1899-1910, and was a frequent contributor to the American Journal of Philology and other magazines.

NEWBRUSSELS CONSUL DIES

Arthur McLean Pneumonia Victim on Eve of Sailing for Belgium.

Arthur McLean, son of Mrs. Nannie I. McLean and the late Arthur A. McLean, of Newburg, N. Y., died yesterday at Roosevelt Hospital of pneumonia. He was in his thirty-seventh year. Educated in Belgium and Spain, he was for several years engaged in the South American export business of W. R. Grace & Co., later representing that company in the Panama Canal Zone.

He entered the United States Consular Service in 1916 as Consul to Santo Domingo. He had lately been appointed Consul to Brussels, and was about to start for Belgium to reopen the consulate there when taken ill. He is survived by his mother and sister, and by four brothers, all of whom are officers in the army.

Typhus Kills American Nurse.

VLADIVOSTOK, Dec. 26, (Associated Press.)—Grace McBride, a nurse from Shanghai, whose home was Mansfield, Ohio, has died of typhus at Tiumen. There have been two cases of typhus in Vladivostok. One case was found in a crowded railway station and the other in the Red Cross refugee barracks.

Obituary Notes.

JACOB LISSNER, a retired men's clothing manufacturer, died of apoplexy last night at Broadway and Eightieth Street. Mr. Lissner was 64 years old.

Mrs. ANNA M. SCHMITT BAIER, wife of Dr. Victor Baier, organist and choirmaster, and sister of John J. Schmitt, died yesterday at her home, 971 Lexington Avenue.

Dr. MATTHEW B. Du BOIS, formerly a practicing physician in New York City, died yesterday at his home, 635 Park Avenue, after an illness of ten weeks. Dr. Du Bois was in his seventy-eighth year.

Miss HENRIETTA D. GRAUEL, writer and lecturer on home economics, an editor of Modern Priscilla, and Vice President of the Ohio Newspaper Women's Association, died yesterday at Cleveland, Ohio.

FRANK C. GREEN, 54 years old, connected with the laboratories of Seabury & Johnson, chemists, died Saturday night following an apoplectic stroke. He lived at 129 Dodd Street, East Orange.

Mrs. HARRIET Le ROY COX, widow of Lieutenant Whittingham Cox, is dead at her home, 995 Madison Avenue. She was a daughter of Robert Henry Ludlow and Cornelia Le Roy Ludlow. A daughter, Miss Mary C. Ludlow Cox, survives.

Colonel LOWREY T. HILLMAN, Commandant of the Rock Island, Ill., Arsenal, died yesterday at his quarters on the island of pneumonia following influenza. He was 38 years old and succeeded Colonel George W. Burr early in 1918 as Commandant.

JAMES HARPLEY HIGGINS died Thursday at Los Angeles, Cal. He was formerly a Major of the 7th Regiment, and before that served in the 22d Regiment. He was in business with Raimon, importers, 386 Fifth Avenue. Miss Katherine L. Higgins of 272 Manhattan Avenue is a sister.

CHRISTOPHER F. DOWNEY, 60 years old, died yesterday at Waterbury, Conn., after a long illness, in which transfusion of blood was resorted to several times in an effort to save his life. He was born in Waterbury and for years was correspondent for New York and Boston newspapers.

JAMES M. PARSONS, formerly owner of the Parsons Snuff Mills, died Saturday morning at his country home, "Brookford," near New Brunswick, N. J. Mr. Parsons was born in New Brunswick seventy-five years ago, the son of the late William G. Parsons, who established the mills. He never married.

Mrs. KATHERINE GRISWALD WINCHESTER, widow of Lycurgus Winchester, a Baltimore banker, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Bache Pratt of New York, died yesterday at her home, 829 Park Avenue. She was born here thirty-six years ago and was a member of the Mayflower Society, Colonial Dames, and Daughters of the Cincinnati.

REV. E. J. WELSTEAD DIES.

Young Priest of St. Rose of Lima a Leader in Community Work.

The Rev. Father Edward J. Welstead, assistant pastor of the Church of St. Rose of Lima, at 165th Street and Amsterdam Avenue, died at the rectory yesterday of pneumonia following influenza. He was born in New York City thirty years ago, the son of Thomas A. Welstead, and after graduating from Fordham he studied at St. Joseph's Seminary at Dunwoodie, N. Y., and was ordained to the priesthood about three years ago.

He was assigned to the Church of St. Rose of Lima, where he was especially interested in the deaf and dumb children in the Hanwood Catholic institution near by. He also obtained the use of Public School Building 169, where in the evenings he conducted gymnasium classes for all the young folks of the neighborhood.

The body has been removed to the home of his father, 250 Mount Hope Place, the Bronx, where it will lie in state until Wednesday.

Engaged.

NEUBAU—FRANZBLAU.—Mr. and Mrs. Manes Franzblau announce engagement of their daughter Etta to Mr. William Morris Neubau.

STERN—GOTTLIEB.—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gottlieb announce the engagement of their daughter Rose to Abraham Stern of South Bethlehem, Penn.

WASSERTHAL—WEINBERG.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinberg announce the engagement of their daughter Natalie to Harry E. Wasserthal.

Married.

LINK—FEIN.—Seymour A. Link, Augusta G. Fein, Dec. 25, 1918.

WESTERVELT—JOCELYN.—Brig. Gen. Stephen Perry Jocelyn, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Jocelyn of Burlington, Vt., announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to Brig. Gen. William Irving Westervelt, U. S. A., at Evreux, Eure, France, Dec. 26, 1918.

Died.

BAIER.—On Dec. 29, 1918, Anna M. Schmitt, beloved wife of Dr. Victor Baier, and sister of John J. Schmitt. Services at her late residence, 971 Lexington Av., Wednesday, Jan 1, 1919, at 10 A. M.

BARKER.—Constance Beatrice, (nee Reynolds,) wife of Fredrick W. Barker, Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, at New Dorp, S. I. London, England, papers please copy.

BARROIS.—On Dec. 28, 1918, Catherine, beloved wife of Curtis F. Barrois. Funeral from her late residence, 751 East 168th St., Tuesday, at 10 A. M., thence to the Church of St. Augustine, where a requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul.

BEACH.—On Dec. 28, in New York City, Sarah Rhoades Keep, widow of Edward Payson Beach. Funeral services will be held at the residence of Charles Hallam Keep, 7 East 62d St., on Sunday, Dec. 29, at 2 o'clock. Burial at Lockport, N. Y.

BERNSTEIN.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, Isaac Bernstein, beloved father of Florence B. Cohn, and husband of the late Charlotte Bernstein, in his 76th year. Funeral from his late residence, 1,090 St. Nicholas Av., Tuesday, Dec. 31, 10:30 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

BLUMENSTOCK.—Sarah, beloved wife of Samuel Blumenstock, Dec. 28. Funeral today at 1 P. M., at 172 Bay 31st St., Brooklyn.

BOISSEAU.—On Dec. 29, at 7 West 51st St., Julienne Boisseau, age 33 years, of influenza pneumonia. French papers please copy.

BRAASCH.—Sunday, Dec. 29, at his residence, 915 Bushwick Av., Brooklyn, William C. F. Braasch, in his 84th year. Funeral services Tuesday evening, at 8:30, at Christ English Lutheran Church, 1,084 Lafayette Av., near Broadway, Brooklyn. Interment private.

BRUSATI.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, in New York, Major Count Renzo Brusati of the Royal Horse Artillery, Royal Italian Army. Funeral services will be held at the residence of Grenville T. Emmet, 39 East 63d St., on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 31, at 3 o'clock.

CLOWES.—On Oct. 21, at Brisbane, Australia, Mamie, dearly loved second daughter of Captain and Mrs. Norton B. Clowes of Reading, England, and granddaughter of Sir William Robinson, G. C. M. G., and wife of Major Ainslie Clowes, A. A. M. C.

COLE.—On Dec. 27, 1918, Susan Coffield Cole, (nee White.) Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Alexander MacPhail, 1,749 Grand Av., Sunday at 7 P. M. Interment private Monday morning.

COOGAN.—On Dec. 27, after a short illness, Charles A., Treasurer Hudson Theatre, beloved husband of Margaret C., (nee Oland,) son of the late Matthew J., and Theresa Coogan, brother of Rev. John J., Chaplain New York Police Department. Funeral from his late residence, 601 West 176th St., Tuesday morning, at 10 o'clock, thence to Holy Cross Church, West 42d St., solemn requiem high mass at 10:30 o'clock. Interment Calvary. Automobile cortege.

COUTANCHE.—Early, at Providence, R. I., Dec. 27, 1918, Anna M., wife of Clement J. Coutanche, and daughter of the late Edward Early. Funeral Monday, Dec. 30, 1918, from Grand Central Terminal on arrival of 2:30 o'clock train. Automobile cortege.

CURRAN.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, May B., beloved daughter of John J. and the late Mary J. Curran. Funeral from the residence of her brother, 2,486 Morris Av., Fordham, on Tuesday, at 10:30 A. M., thence to the Church of Our Lady of Mercy.

DICKENSON.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, at his residence, 464 Columbus Av., Thomas Graham, beloved son of Alfred and Elizabeth and brother of Edna and Mrs. J. H. Serafton. Notice of funeral hereafter.

DU BOIS.—On Dec. 29, at his residence, 635 Park Av., Matthew B. Du Bois, M. D., son of the late Dr. Abram and Catherine Brinckerhoff Du Bois, in the 78th year of his age. Funeral private. It is kindly requested that no flowers be sent.

FARRELL.—In New York City, Dec. 28, James Charles Farrell, husband of Margaret Brady Farrell. Funeral mass at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Albany, N. Y.

FERRETTI.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, Andrew, beloved father of John, Loretta, Mrs. Eugene Maron. Funeral from his late residence, 390 Clinton St., Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 9:30 A. M. Thence to the R. C. Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Mary, Degraw and Hicks Sts., at 9:30 A. M., where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

FISHER.—On Dec. 29, 1918, at her residence, Dumont, N. J., Eva Lorena, wife of Fred Fisher. Services at Funeral Chapel, 851 Amsterdam Av., near 102d St., New York City, Jan. 1, at 2 P. M.

FRIEDEBORN.—Entered into rest Dec. 29, 1918, Louisa Friedeborn, (nee Reinhardt,) in her 81st year, beloved mother of William F. Friedeborn. Funeral services at her late home, 991 Hancock St., Brooklyn, Dec. 31, 1918, evening, at 8 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. Funeral at convenience of family. Interment Greenwood Cemetery.

GOLD.—At her home, Lincoln, Neb., Pauline Mayer, beloved wife of William Gold, and mother of Henrietta Spier, Helen, and Lieutenant Nathan J. Gold.

GREENIA.—Passed away suddenly, on Dec. 27, at her residence, 602 6th St., Brooklyn, Caroline Eldert, wife of the late George H. Greenia. Funeral services at her late residence, Monday evening, Dec. 30, at 8 o'clock.

HASBROUCK.—On Dec. 27, 1918, at Miami, Fla., Philip, youngest son of the late George S. and Carrie S. Hasbrouck. Funeral services on Monday, Dec. 30, at 2 P. M., in the chapel of the Church of the Divine Paternity, 76th St. and Central Park West. Interment at convenience of the family.

HELBIG.—William R., aged 64, suddenly, on Friday, Dec. 27, at his residence, 1,831 Southern Boulevard, Bronx. Funeral service Monday, Dec. 30, at 7:30 P. M. Interment from late residence Tuesday at 10 A. M.

HIXSON.—Sunday, Dec. 29, at St. Luke's Hospital, Charlotte S. Hixson, daughter of the late Joseph R. and Josephine Hixson. Services at St. Luke's Hospital Chapel, Monday, Dec. 30, 3 P. M. Toronto papers please copy.

HOFF.—On Dec. 29, Charles Hoff, aged 61, of 11 Park Av., Brooklyn Hills, L. I. Funeral Thursday at 9:30 A. M.

HOPPOCK.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1918, Frank Hoppock, son of the late George and Dora (nee Smith) Hoppock, grandson of the late Edwin Smith.

HOWARD.—At her home, 73 Mount Pleasant Av., West Orange, N. J., on Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, Jean Bulkley, wife of Robert R. Howard. Funeral service private, Tuesday, Dec. 31, on arrival of 2:51 train from Hoboken for Orange Station.

JUST.—George Alexander, Friday, Dec. 27, at the Hotel Bristol, this city, in his 58th year. He is survived by his widow, Edith L. Just; his son, Lieutenant George A. Just, and two daughters, Mrs. Ethel Just Heyn and Dorothy Just. Funeral services will be held at "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," at the Frank E. Campbell Building, 1,970 Broadway, on Monday, the 30th, at 11 A. M. Interment private. Tuckahoe and Scarsdale papers please copy.

Died.

KATZ.—At Honesdale, Penn., on Saturday, Dec. 28, Edna, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Katz. Funeral on Monday, strictly private.

KAUFMAN.—On Dec. 29, at residence, 3,089 Broadway, in his 70th year, Samuel, beloved father of Dr. Charles M. Kaufman, Paul Kaufman, Mrs. David Grand, Mrs. Alex H. Low, and John Kaufman. Funeral private.

KEPPLER.—Solomon, beloved husband of the late Minnie Keppler, father of Tobias A., Michael, Henry, and Jesse Keppler, Dora Frey, and Fannie Halper. Funeral Monday, Dec. 30, 2 P. M., sharp, from 319 West 95th St. Omit flowers. Interment Washington Cemetery.

KOLISCH.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, Ida Kolisch, (nee Baumgarten,) beloved wife of Gustave R. Kolisch, and mother of Karl, Theodore, and Theresa. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 307 East 72d St., Tuesday morning, 10 o'clock.

LAKE.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, Mary, wife of George R. Lake, deceased. Services at 16 Linden Av., Jersey City, Monday, Dec. 30, 1918, at 8 P. M. Interment at Dorset, Vt.

LEE.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, at her home, 145 Glenwood Av., East Orange, N. J., Anna E. Lee. Notice of funeral hereafter.

LEVINSOHN.—Nathan, (Nat,) Dec. 28, aged 24 years, beloved son of Pauline and Dr. L. Broter of 567 West 149th St. Services will be held at Washington Cemetery on Monday, Dec. 30. Kindly omit flowers. Southern papers please copy.

LEVY.—Nathan J. Young Men's Hebrew Association (Williamsburg) regret to announce the death of our Treasurer and Director, Nathan J. Levy. Body lies at United Burial Co., 1,202 Broadway, Brooklyn. Funeral services will be held Monday, Dec. 30, at 2 P. M., at Chapel Salem Fields, Cypress Hills.
JACOB S. STRAHL, President.

LISSNER.—Jacob, brother of Herman Lissner, suddenly of apoplexy, Dec. 29. Notice of funeral later.

LOTT.—On Friday, Dec. 27, 1918, Caroline Virginia Cortelyou, wife of the late Jeremiah Lott. Funeral services at her late residence, 93 East 18th St., Flatbush, Monday, Dec. 30, at 10:30 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

LUSK.—Entered into rest on Dec. 29, Eleanor Robberson Lusk, beloved wife of Edward J. Lusk. Funeral services will be held at Walter B. Cooke's Funeral Parlors, 6 West Fordham Road, Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 1 P. M. sharp. Interment Kensico.

LUTHER.—George Miller, on Sunday. Relatives kindly communicate with Walter Rome Luther, 5 East 18th St., or telephone Stuyvesant 7579.

LYNCH.—At his residence, 54 King St., on Friday, Dec. 27, 1918, Thomas Lynch, formerly of the Third Inspection District, New York Police Department, in the 60th year of his age. Funeral on Monday, Dec. 30, at 10 o'clock, from St. Anthony's Church, on Sullivan St. Automobile cortege.

McCARTER.—Julia Elizabeth, (nee Belder,) wife of William Fawcett, suddenly, Dec. 28, 1918. Funeral services Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at her late residence, 105 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, N. Y. Interment private.

McDOWELL.—Suddenly, on Dec. 29, Frederick H., beloved husband of Natalie Yehling McDowell. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 112 West 104th St., on Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, at 8 o'clock.

McLEAN.—At Roosevelt Hospital, on Dec. 29, Arthur McLean, son of Mrs. Nannie and the late Arthur A. McLean of Newburg, N. Y. Funeral service at the Paulist Fathers' Church, 60th St. and Columbus Av., on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 10 A. M. Newburg, N. Y., papers please copy.

MEREDITH.—Dec. 28, at her home, 351 St. Nicholas Av., Rebecca, widow of Marion Meredith, beloved mother of Mrs. C. M. Bracklow and T. D. Meredith. Funeral services at Calvary M. E. Church, 7th Av. and 129th St., Monday, Dec. 30, 8 P. M.

MITCHILL.—Suddenly, Dec. 27, Theodore C. Mitchill, son of Matilda J. Canfield and the late Theodore C. Mitchill, in his 53d year. Funeral services at the Church of Zion and St. Timothy, 57th St., between 8th and 9th Avs., on Monday, Dec. 30, at 11 A. M.

MITCHILL.—Theodore C. The School Masters' Association of New York and Vicinity announces with deepest regret the death of our fellow member, Theodore C. Mitchill. Funeral services will be held at the Church of Zion and St. Timothy, 57th St., between 8th and 9th Avs., New York City, on Monday, Dec. 30, at 11 A. M.
FREDERICK H. PAINE, President.

MORRIS.—On Dec. 28, 1918, Charles S. Morris, beloved husband of Dinah W. Morris, at Point Loma, Cal., in his 66th year. Funeral services and cremation at Point Loma, Cal.

MORRIS.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, at her residence, 458 West 25th St., Mary Morris, widow of James Morris. Notice of funeral hereafter.

PRICE.—At Paterson, N. J., on Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, Maurice, husband of the late Matilda Price and father of Flora P. Kempner and Arthur and Walter Price. Services on Monday, Dec. 30, at his home, 580 Broadway, Paterson, at 8 P. M.

RAPP.—Herman, after a lingering illness, age 65 years, husband of the late Lizzie Rapp, and beloved father of Dorothy, brother of Abraham, Louis, (deceased,) Dr. Samuel, and David Rapp, Fannie Lowenstein and Jennie Helfer. Funeral services Monday, Dec. 30, from Sam Rothschild's funeral parlors, 208 Lenox Av., at 1:30 P. M. Liverpool (England) papers please copy.

SARGENT.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1918, May Theresa, daughter of William D. and May Pardridge Sargent, aged 7 years. Funeral services at the residence, Hutton Park, Orange, N. J., Tuesday, Dec. 31, 2 P. M.

Died.

SCHERMERHORN.—Suddenly, of pneumonia, at the New York Hospital on Dec. 27, 1918, in the 33d year of his age, John Egmont Schermerhorn, son of the late John Egmont Schermerhorn and Katie T. Cotting. Funeral services at Grace Church, Broadway and 10th St., on Monday morning, Dec. 30, at 10 o'clock. Members of the Fraternity of Delta Psi are invited to attend.

SCHERMERHORN.—St. Nicholas Society of the City of New York, 43 Cedar St., New York. It is with deep regret that announcement is made of the death in New York City on Dec. 27, 1918, of their late associate, John Egmont Schermerhorn.
WILLIAM DENNISTOUN MURPHY, President.
FREDERIC IRVING LOCKMAN, Secretary.

SHAKESPEARE.—At East Orange, N. J., Dec. 27, 1918, Benjamin F. Shakespeare. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 201 Central Av., on Monday evening, Dec. 30, at 8 o'clock.

SILVERMAN.—Helen, on Saturday, Dec. 28, 1918, age 23, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham S. Silverman, and sister of Jesse, Harold and Abner. Funeral from her late residence, 230 Riverside Drive, on Monday, Dec. 30, 1918, at 10:30 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

SMITH.—Henry Browne, in the service of his country, Lieutenant Henry B. Smith, 104th, U. S. Infantry, (formerly 7th Regiment, N. G. N. Y Machine Gun Co.,) son of Agnes B. Smith, in his 26th year, officially reported as killed in action Oct. 26.

SMITH.—On Dec. 29, 1918, Alphonsus A. Smith, beloved husband of Elizabeth, (nee Woods,) member of N. Y. F. D. Truck No. 32, Bronx. Funeral from his late residence, 960 Sherman Av., Bronx, on Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 9:30 A. M., thence to Church of St. Angela Merici, 163d St., and Morris Av. Interment St. Raymond.

SONEY.—After a lingering illness, at Jersey City, Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, Philip Grosvenor Soney. Funeral services at his late residence, 107 Gifford Av., Tuesday, Dec. 31, at 8 P. M. Interment private.

STAGG.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, Lillian Trice, beloved wife of John C. Stagg. Funeral service Monday evening, Dec. 30, at 8 o'clock, at her late residence, 92 Park Av., East Orange, N. J.

STEPHENS.—William, born in County Cavan, Ireland, July 16, 1873, on Dec. 28, after a short illness. Funeral services at his late residence, 67 Amsterdam Av., New York, Monday evening, 8 o'clock. Burial from there Tuesday, 1:30. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

STREET.—On Sunday, Dec. 29, at her residence, 33 Lafayette St., White Plains, Kate Dana Street, widow of the late Edwin A. Street, and mother of the Rev. William Dana Street, in the 76th year of her age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

STUYVESANT.—On Saturday morning, Dec. 28, at his residence, 3 East 57th St., Augustus Van Horne, son of the late Gerard Stuyvesant. Funeral services will be held at St. Mark's-in-the-Bouwerie, 2d Av. and 10th St., on Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, 1918, at 10 o'clock.

THOMPSON.—Dec. 28, Eugene A. Thompson. Services Stephen Merritt Harlem chapel, 304 West 126th St., Monday, 10 A. M.

TUCK.—On Saturday, Dec. 28, 1918, Harriet R. Tuck, wife of Captain Henry W. Tuck. Funeral private. Please omit flowers. Chicago papers please copy.

UDALL.—Suddenly, on Saturday, Dec. 28, Ella Le Count Udall. Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. James R. de Nyse, 67 Macon St., Brooklyn, Monday at 8 P. M. Interment at convenience of family.

VORBACH.—On Dec. 28, Katie, (nee Sommer,) in her 65th year, widow of Henry Vorbach, and beloved mother of Louise Huber. Funeral service Monday evening at 8 o'clock at her late residence, 113 East Broadway. Interment private.

Died.

VALENTINE.—At Westfield, N. J., Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, Edna Thomas, beloved wife of Joseph W. Valentine. Funeral service at her late residence, 702 Mountain Av., Westfield, N. J., on Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, 1918, at 8:15 o'clock. Automobiles will meet train leaving foot of Liberty St., C. R. R. of N. J., at 7 P. M. Interment at Locust Valley, L. I., on Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1919, at 12:30 o'clock.

WARNER.—At his residence, Troy, N. Y., on Saturday, Dec. 28, 1918, Ebenezer Warner, in his 90th year. Funeral Tuesday at 2 P. M.

WATSON.—On Dec. 28, 1918, Charles E. Watson, aged 49 years. Relatives and friends also members of Copestone Lodge, F. and A. M., are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 40 Morningside Av., on Monday, Dec. 30, at 8 P. M.

WEILAND.—Benjamin, Dec. 28, 1918, beloved husband of Annette, father of Bertha, son of Fanny Weiland, and brother of Charles and George Weiland and Mrs. S. B. Ascher. Funeral from his late residence, 745 Riverside Drive, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, Dec. 31.

WEILAND.—Benjamin. Brethren of Pacific Lodge, No. 233, F. and A. M., are earnestly requested to attend Masonic funeral services of our late brother, Benjamin Weiland, Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, promptly at 10:15 o'clock, at his late residence, 745 Riverside Drive, corner 152d St. PAUL GULICK, Master.
EDWARD C. WHITE, Secretary.

WEILAND.—Benjamin. Members of the Deborah Benevolent Sewing Society are requested to attend the funeral of the husband of our Vice President, Annette Weiland, on Tuesday morning, Dec. 31, at 10 o'clock, from his late residence, 745 Riverside Drive.
Mrs. N. A. EISLER, President.
Mrs. S. H. RAPP, Financial Sec'y.

WELSTEAD.—Rev. Edward J., on Sunday, Dec. 29, at the rectory of the Church of St. Rose of Lima, West 165th St. and Amsterdam Av. Remains lying in state at the residence of his father, Mr. Thomas A. Welstead, 250 Mount Hope Place, Bronx, until Wednesday, Jan. 1, 3 P. M.; thence to the Church of St. Rose of Lima, West 165th St., where the office of the dead will be chanted Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock. Solemn requiem mass on Thursday, Jan. 2, at 10 A. M. Interment Calvary.

WHIPP.—Hartridge, on Friday morning, Dec. 27. Funeral services at St. Thomas's Church today at 1:30 P. M.

WHITMAN.—In Jersey City, on Dec. 27, 1918, Georgianna F. Whitman, wife of the late Thomas C. Whitman, in her 82d year. Funeral services at the funeral parlor of George Stevens, 605 Jersey Av., Jersey City, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WINCHESTER.—Suddenly, of pneumonia, at her residence, 829 Park Av., on Sunday, Dec. 29, 1918, Katharine Griswold, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas B. Pratt, and widow of Lycurgus Winchester. Notice of funeral later.

In Memoriam.

BAUM.—In loving memory of my dearest friend, Philip Baum, who passed away Dec. 30, 1917.

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COBB'S RETIREMENT DEPENDS ON NAVIN

Detroit Star Hints He Will Either Get His Price or He Won't Play.

HE DEFINES HIS STATUS

Georgia Peach Is Insistent That He Now Has Right to Consider Offers from Other Clubs.

Whether Ty Cobb, greatest of all ball players, will be seen in action on the diamond again next year, or will retire from the game to till his broad acres, now seems to depend on the decision to be reached by Frank Navin, owner of the Detroit Tigers. In an interview which he gave out at his home at Augusta, Ga., yesterday, Cobb defined what he considered his status in baseball for next year, and left it up to his employer to make the next move.

It is evident from his statement that Cobb has not changed his mind regarding his status since he returned from France recently and declared that he was a free agent. While he did not reiterate this phrase yesterday, he did say that he considered himself free to consider offers from any other club, which is equivalent to saying he is a free agent.

Cobb contends that he is thus free to consider other offers from the fact that he received a ten days' notice of release from the Detroit Club at the close of last season and that his four year contract had expired. Cobb accepted his release without comment at the time and made no effort, as did some players, to force the club to pay him for the entire six months of a normal season.

Cobb has thus put the decision on his baseball future up to Navin. To many baseball men this appears to be a manoeuvre on his part to renew his contract at the old figures of $20,000. Under the new policy of retrenchment which baseball had adopted, it is doubtful if any club will desire to renew contracts at such figures. No one knows this better than Cobb, and the fact that he declared he had not decided whether he would play ball next season is taken as indicating that the Georgia Peach is preparing to press his demands.

Cobb of all ball players has the best chance to force his salary demands because he is a valuable asset to the Detroit Club and has undoubtedly been worth all he received. The Tigers have been one of the best drawing cards on the road for years owing to Cobb, and he has undoubtedly been worth his salary for the crowds he brought in at the gate. Without Cobb the Tigers would be a rather drab club, and it is generally believed Navin will accede to Cobb's demands.

But other baseball owners are taking concern in the Cobb case. Many of them fear that if Cobb succeeds in getting the terms he desires on the claim that he is a free agent other players who were similarly released will also give the owners much trouble. The ten-day release notice was served on practically all the players in both leagues with the exception of those on the pennant-winning clubs which appeared in the world's series.

Incidental to the discussion of his status, Cobb took occasion to deny the many rumors that he had received an offer from the New York Yankees. It was even reported a few days ago that Miller Huggins had been seen in Augusta in conference with Cobb. Any advances to Cobb by the Yankees would be a violation of the gentleman's agreement entered into by the owners last season.

RUNNERS IN DEAD HEAT.

Kaufman and Mayo Lower Course Record in Road Race.

Louis Kaufman, junior metropolitan cross-country champion, and Eddie Mayo, former holder of the title, ran a dead heat from scratch yesterday in the handicap road race of the Long Island Athletic League, held over the Brooklyn A. A. course of about four and one-half miles. Both runners are members of the Brooklyn A. A. Over the entire course Kaufman and Mayo held close together and in the race for the finish line they ran abreast.

The runners were placed eighth in a field of eleven starters. Their time was 21:58, eclipsing the former course record of 22:25, made by Jack Cohen. Robert Jekel of the Brooklyn A. A. led the pack home. Jekel got off with the limit allowance of four minutes and led from the start. At the finish his time was 24.11, and he had an advantage of about 100 yards on Frank Ruddy, his nearest rival.

The order of finish follows:

Robert Jekel, Brooklyn A. A., (4:00,) 24:11; Frank Ruddy, Brooklyn A. A., (2:30,) 23:04; J. Cohen, Brooklyn A. A., (1:45,) 22:16; B. Finkelstein, Brooklyn A. A., (3:00,) 23:42; Sam Herzig, Brooklyn A. A., (2:15,) 23:13; B. Moore, Brooklyn A. A., (3:45,) 25:35; J. Lorenz, Brooklyn A. A., (3:00,) 24:52; Edward Mayo, Brooklyn A. A., (scratch,) 21:58; Louis Kaufman, Brooklyn A. A., (scratch,) 21:58; E. Muller, Brooklyn A. A., (2:30,) 24:30; B. Bender, Kings County A. A., (3:15,) 26:05.

MORNINGSIDE FIVE WINS.

Defeats Sailors in Fast Game by Score of 37 to 30.

The Morningside A. C. basket-ball quintet annexed another victory yesterday when it triumphed over the U. S. S. Von Steuben five in a keenly contested game at Manhattan Casino. The score was 37 to 30.

The lineup:

Morn'gside, (37.)	Position.	Von Steuben, (30.)
Pallman	R. F.	Jones
Goldstein	L. F.	Borden
Maroney	C.	Caulfield
Belsky	R. G.	McGowan
Farrant	L. G.	Teed

Field goals—Pallman, (7,) Maroney, (3,) Belsky, (3,) Farrant, (4,) Jones, (4,) Borden, (3,) Caulfield, (3,) McGowan, (2,) Teed, (2.) Goals from foul—Goldstein, (3,) Jones, Borden. Referee—W. McCaffrey, Fordham University. Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

TO HOLD CHESS CONGRESS.

American Experts Invited to Play in Tournament in England.

Jose R. Capablanca, Frank J. Marshall, Boris Kostich, Jackson W. Showalter, and James S. Morrison have received invitations from the British Chess Federation to take part in a "Victory Chess Congress," to be held in England next August, and for which preparations are now under way. The entry list will be limited to experts from allied and neutral countries. J. H. Blackburne, A. Burn, H. E. Atkins and F. D. Yates are the British masters expected to play in the chief tournament, which will last about a fortnight. The prize fund will be $1,500.

Nevin Wins Handicap Race.

W. Nevin of the Pastime A. C. led home a field of clubmates yesterday in a members' handicap road race conducted over the Elks Court of about four and a half miles in the Bronx. Nevin, with the aid of a four-minute handicap, led over the greater part of the distance and at the finish had an advantage of about 150 yards over K. Hearns, who started from the 2:30 mark. Nevin's time was 26:32 and Hearns's was 25:19. Frank Titterton, who started from scratch, finished fifth in 23:52, seventeen seconds behind the course record.

Soccer Teams in Tie.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 29.—The Bethlehem Steel Company soccer team played a tie game with the St. Louis All-Stars today, being saved from defeat in the last few seconds. The final score was one to one.

SEEKS MOORE-WILDE BOUT.

British Promoter Offers $25,000 Purse for Championship Contest.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Boxing promoter Cochrane has offered a purse of £5,000 for a bout between Jimmie Wilde, the English bantamweight, and Pal Moore of Memphis, Tenn., who recently defeated Wilde on points in the international soldiers' and sailors' boxing tournament here.

Cochrane also has offered a purse of £7,500 for a contest between Bombardier Wells, the English heavyweight, and Georges Carpentier, the French heavyweight champion.

A dispatch from London, Dec. 17, said negotiations had virtually been completed for a twenty-round bout next March between Wilde, formerly the world's flyweight champion, and Moore. The dispatch added that the bout probably would be held in Olympia Hall, London, which seats 12,000 persons.

PARIS, Dec. 29.—Articles have been signed here for boxing bouts between Georges Carpentier and Bombardier Wells, and Charles Ledoux, the French bantamweight, and Jimmie Wilde.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 29.—Tommy Walsh of Chicago, Pal Moore's manager, announced here tonight that he will not close with any English promoter for at least a month, or until he is convinced that Wilde will not come to America to box Moore. He said Moore prefers to box in America, but is willing to go to England.

BOXING TOURNEY IN PARIS.

K. of C. Arranging Series of Titular Bouts for Service Men.

One of the biggest tournaments in the history of boxing is being arranged by the Knights of Columbus, the contests for championships to take place in Paris for the entertainment of Uncle Sam's soldiers, sailors, marines, and aviators. Belts will be awarded by the Knights of Columbus to the champion in each class. According to present plans, the tourney in the French capital will be of greater importance than the one recently held in London.

"Boxing is one of our best sports," William P. Larkin, Director of Knights of Columbus Overseas Activities, recently declared. "The United States was quick to see the value of boxing as a medium of physical exercise for the contestants and for the entertainment of our fighting forces, and the teaching of the manly art to all the boys in the service did as much as any one thing to help get them in the trim that won the war in record time.

"The Knights of Columbus is strongly in favor of boxing, professional or amateur, if conducted under proper regulation, and it is to be hoped that before long laws will be passed permitting the sport in every State in the Union.

"Because our organization realizes the good that boxing does for the youth of our nation, we are planning this tourney in Paris for championship belts early in the new year. The best men in the service of the United States will compete, and when the titles in the various classes are decided, America will boast of some champions who will compare favorably with any world's title holders.

"We have shipped thousands of sets of gloves to the boys over there, and it is largely through these efforts that the sport has taken such a big hold with the lads who won the battle for us. At present we are conducting numerous weekly shows in various camps for the boys abroad, which are developing prospective winners of the coming titular bouts."

DOYLE AND GALLIGAN WIN.

Defeat O'Hara and Crossman in Best-Ball Match.

A golf match on the last Sunday in the year in the North was an unknown quantity a few years ago, yet four professionals who met at the Marine and Field Club yesterday afternoon claimed that never had the course been in better condition. Pat Doyle of Deal, and Ted Galligan of the home club, defeated Peter O'Hara of Haworth and James Crossan of Wheatley Hills by 2 up and 1 to play.

Doyle and Galligan had a best ball of 34 to the turn, where they stood 1 up. The tenth was halved, and Crossan squared accounts by winning the eleventh, and placed his side 1 up by getting the thirteenth in 3. Doyle, however, came to the rescue at the next, where he ran down a beautiful putt for a 2, and Galligan scored at the sixteenth, winning there with a 3. Doyle won the next, also in 3, and the match. The Deal and Marine and Field professionals made the last nine in 31 to 33 for the other pair. Doyle had an individual score of 68, Crossan a 70, and O'Hara and Galligan each had 73. The best-ball and individual scores follow:

Doyle and Galligan—									
Out	4	4	5	3	3	4	4	4	3—34
O'Hara and Crossan—									
Out	5	4	5	3	3	4	4	4	3—35
Doyle and Galligan—									
In	4	4	3	4	2	5	3	3	3—31—65
O'Hara and Crossan—									
In	4	3	3	3	3	5	4	4	4—33—68
Doyle—									
Out	4	4	5	3	3	4	4	5	4—36
In	4	4	3	4	2	5	4	3	3—32—68
Galligan—									
Out	5	5	5	3	4	4	4	4	3—37
In	4	4	4	4	3	5	3	4	5—36—73
O'Hara—									
Out	5	4	5	3	4	4	4	4	3—36
In	4	4	4	4	3	5	4	5	4—37—73
Crossan—									
Out	5	4	5	3	3	4	4	5	3—36
In	4	3	3	3	3	5	4	4	5—34—70

N. Y. FOOTBALL CLUB WINS.

Defeats Scottish-Americans, 2 Goals to 0, in Newark.

Winning handily against the Scottish Americans by the score of 2 goals to 0 at Clark's Athletic Field in East Newark yesterday, the New York Football Club fought its way into the fourth round of the National Challenge Trophy competition of the United States Football Association. The visitors from the metropolis scored once in each half, and were at no time pressed to the danger point. The first goal came through a penalty against McManus of the Scots, Kelly negotiating the kick for New York, after half an hour of play. Young, off a pass from J. Vandeweghe, shot the second goal ten minutes after the restart.

The lineup:

New York, (2.)	Position.	Scottish-Am., (0.)
Porter	G.	Ward
Ferguson	R. B.	Bonn
M. Vandeweghe	L. B.	McManus
Kohler	R. H.	Cochran
Kelly	C. H.	Greyburn
Mills	L. H.	Stout
O'Halloran	O. R.	Allen
J. Vandeweghe	I. R.	Adamson
Koelsch	C.	Siegel
Petrie	I. L.	Eadie
Young	O. L.	Peck

Goals—Kelly, Young. Time—Halves of 45 minutes. Referee—Charles Ward, Passaic. Linesmen—Messrs. Brown and Edwards.

By the record score of 8 goals to 1, the White Rose soccer eleven defeated the Queens Rangers in the Combination League at Astoria yesterday.

La Sultana and the Fulton A. C. soccer elevens met in Recreation Park in Long Island City yesterday, where the Combination League game was won by La Sultana by 4 goals to 2.

The Paterson Football Club defeated Robins Dry Dock by the score of 3 goals to 1, at Todd Field, Brooklyn, yesterday in the replay of the second round cup match in the annual United States Football Association series.

With a defeat of Clan MacDuff by 2 goals to 0 at Bay Ridge Oval yesterday, the Longfellows of Brooklyn strengthened their hold on first place in the New York Combination Soccer League.

Cochran and Schaefer Matched.

Welker Cochran and young Jake Schaefer, both aspirants for William Hoppe's crown, have been matched to play a series of fourteen games at Detroit. It is understood that the winner of the match will demand the right to meet Hoppe in a championship contest.

GUNNERS FARE ILL IN LAST 1918 TILT

McVoy, Rogers, and Brown Are Winners in Cup Contests at N. Y. A. C. Traps.

Thirty-three gunners took part in the final shoot of 1918 at the Travers Island traps of the New York Athletic Club yesterday. It was the largest field that has gathered so far this season for a Sunday event at the Winged Foot grounds. Unfortunately there was a high wind, the light was poor, and it was bitterly cold on the firing line. As a result, there were very few good scores made during the day. Only one straight was returned. It was made by M. McVoy in the shoot for the Red Cross and Accumulation Prizes.

Being the final Sunday of the month, both the Tournament and Byronel Cups came to an end. In the former event, no less than nine gunners scored legs with full scores of twenty-five targets. Among the number was Z. Rogers. It gave him his third leg on the prize, one more than any of the other nimrods. He therefore took home the cup.

The same state of affairs cropped up in the shoot for the Byronel Cup, a fifty "bird" shoot. C. A. Brown scored his third leg on the cup and had the satisfaction of becoming its permanent owner. The best high scratch run of the day was made by Z. Rogers, who had the excellent total of 96 out of a possible 100 targets. It was remarkable shooting taking into consideration the weather conditions.

The New York Athletic Club plans a big open shoot for New Year's Day. It will begin at 1 P. M. Both scratch and handicap prizes will be offered by the club.

The scores made yesterday are as follows:

Name.	R.C. Cup.	Tourn. Cup.	Byr'l Cup.	Scr. and Handicap Cups.
F. J. Ham	3 25	3 24	3 42	84 11— 95
N. Webb	3 25	3 25	6 50	88 15—100
F. M. Wilson	5 24	5 19	10 40	63 20— 83
B. L. McLeod	6 25	6 25	12 50	87 25—100
W. S. Dunspaugh	6 24	6 25	12 50	80 25—100
J. H. Vanderveer	2 25	2 25	3 48	93 10—100
G. H. Martin	0 22	1 23	1 39	82 7— 89
G. J. Corbett	1 20	1 23	0 48	89 5— 94
Dr. Thielman	0 23	0 24	0 42	89 0— 89
C. A. Brown	5 25	5 23	7 50	82 19—100
B. E. Eldred	2 24	2 25	4 49	91 10—100
Z. Rogers	0 24	1 25	1 49	96 5—100
R. L. Spotts	1 24	1 23	2 49	92 6— 98
H. W. Currier	6 25	6 23	11 50	74 24— 98
F. A. Seibert	3 19	3 24	5 50	82 14— 96
W. B. Ogden	1 24	1 23	2 42	87 10— 97
Dr. Culver	0 23	0 24	1 47	93 5— 98
R. L. Spotts, Jr.	4 25	4 24	7 50	86 15—100
T. H. Lewis	2 25	2 24	4 48	89 10— 99
J. Gerges	0 21	0 17	0 41	79 0— 79
F. Lambert	0 15	0 15	0 31	61 0— 61
C. Stein	1 22	1 21	2 45	84 10— 94
H. Sullivan	5 23	5 22	10 39	64 24— 88
R. B. Cole	3 22	2 24	6 44	76 12— 88
H. B. Knight	2 21	2 22	4 47	82 11— 93
A. P. Walker	6 25	6 25	9 45	76 25—100
H. P. West	2 21	2 18	4 41	72 10— 82
M. Murphy	2 24	2 25	4 49	90 10—100
R. M. Owen	2 23	1 23	3 48	88 11— 99
C. L. King	6 25	6 18	11 50	73 29—100
W. R. Delehanty	5 25	0 22	9 50	86 19—100
E. B. Anderson	3 25	3 24	6 48	87 16—100
M. McVoy	0 25	1 25	1 46	94 5— 99

WINNERS.

Red Cross and Accumulation Cups.—M. McVoy.

Tournament Cup.—Won by Z. Rogers with three legs during month.

Byronel Cup.—Won by C. A. Brown with three legs during month.

High Scratch Gunner.—Z. Rogers.

BOHLAND DISPLAYS OLD-TIME SPEED

Cross-Country Champion Defeats Big Field in His First Race of Season.

Max Bohland, national cross-country running champion, yesterday again proved his superiority at distance running in the first road race of the season held by the Lower Manhattan Athletic League. Bohland, one of a field of eighteen harriers, started from scratch. After an interesting chase the titleholder headed his field of rivals in the last quarter-mile of the four and one-half mile journey, and in the final dash to the finish line Bohland worked up an advantage of about one city block. The champion's time was 24:18.

The race was the most representative held so far this season. It was run over the Paulist A. C.'s course, which carried the harriers through Central Park, and was witnessed by a large crowd over the entire course.

The limit handicap starters occupied the van positions for the first mile, but at this stage of the race J. J. Barnes, who started with an allowance of three minutes, took up the task of setting the pace. The Boys' Club runner cut out a brisk pace through Central Park and down Central Park West on the return journey. He was followed by Bob Spear, former Cornell cross-country runner, who was competing for the first time as a member of the Paulist A. C.

Bohland ran at a merry clip and picked up ground on the leaders. At Sixty-fifth Street the champion was running abreast of Barnes, with Spear following closely.

Bohland kept stride with his rival from the Boys' Club for about two blocks, when he started off in a final sprint. Barnes was unable to keep up the pace and gradually fell behind, and Bohland opened up a gap of about a city block. Barnes retained second position, however, closely followed by Spear, in third place.

One of the interested spectators was Captain Craig Richards, former ex-Harvard A. A. veteran runner. Captain Richards has been attached to an engineer regiment in France and returned yesterday on the transport Sixaola. The veteran runner was on board the Tuscania when that transport was torpedoed.

The order of finish follows:

Position, Name, and Club.	Handicap.	Actual Time.
1—M. Bohland, Paulist A. C.	Scratch	24:18
2—J. J. Barnes, Boys' Club	3:00	27:30
3—Robert Spear, Paulist A. C.	1:15	25:50
4—J. Phillips, Paulist A. C.	1:45	26:27
5—Joseph Walters, Paulist A. C.	1:45	26:28
6—F. Lavery, Paulist A. C.	3:00	28:10
7—W. Leith, Paulist A. C.	4:15	29:26
8—B. Jacobs, Clark House A. C.	3:00	28:17
9—Al Hulsebosch, Paulist A. C.	1:00	26:25
10—L. Voss, Hungarian-American A. C.	3:00	28:37
11—H. Levingrub, Boys' Club	2:45	28:35
12—E. Trick, Paulist A. C.	3:45	29:38
13—A. Larson, Paulist A. C.	2:45	28:42
14—M. Seinfeld, Clark House A. A.	2:45	28:50
15—H. Murray, Paulist A. C.	3:15	29:40
16—B. Mountain, Paulist A. C.	4:45	31:28
17—S. McCarthy, Paulist A. C.	4:45	31:29
18—P. Manus, Paulist A. C.	3:00	29:53

Kurtzo Defeats Clubmates.

Members of the Pennant A. C. competed in a three-mile handicap race yesterday, which was won by J. Kurtzo. Kurtzo started from scratch and covered the course in 21:55.

WILLIAMS LEADS HARRIERS.

St. Christopher Club Runner First Home in Invitation Run.

George Williams of the St. Christopher Club led home a field of eight rivals yesterday in the eleventh invitation race of the series being conducted by the Morningside A. C. of Harlem. The chase was promoted over a course of about four and one-half miles.

Williams remained well up in front from the start of the race and alternated in setting the pace. In the last mile, however, the St. Christopher Club harrier gradually drew away from his rivals.

The order of finish follows:

George Williams, St. Christopher Club, 24:46; Clifford Mitchell, St. Christopher Club, 24:58; Tim O'Connor, St. Anselm's A. C., 25:09; W. Jackson, St. Christopher Club, 25:24; P. Zabludofsky, Morningside A. C., 25:30; George Thompson, High School of Commerce, 26:59; Charles Lauth, St. Anselm's A. C., 27:15; B. Levy, St. Anselm's A. C., 28:10; P. La Duc, Morningside A. C., 28:15.

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FIXES WAGE SCALE ON MERCHANT SHIPS

Federal Board's Award Affects All Licensed Deck and Engine Room Officers.

EFFECTIVE ON NEW YEAR'S

Private Owners and Operators Asked to Adopt Scale to Prevent Interruption of Traffic.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The Shipping Board rendered a decision today in connection with the readjustment of wage scales for licensed deck and engine room officers in the Atlantic and Gulf service. The petitioning parties included the Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association; the American Association of Masters, Mates, and Pilots; the Ocean Association of Marine Engineers, and the Neptune Association of Masters, Mates, and Pilots.

The others interested in the negotiations, aside from the Shipping Board, were the American Steamship Association, owners and operators of ocean-going steamships in the Atlantic and Gulf service, and the American Steamship Licensed Officers' Association.

"Petitions having been received from the above named petitioning parties for the abolition of bonuses, readjustment of wages, and reclassification of vessels," says the statement, "the matter was left for decision by agreement to a special committee consisting of a representative of the licensed officers appointed by the Secretary of Labor, a representative of the American Steamship Association, and an impartial Chairman appointed by the Shipping Board.

"Owing to the fact that the armistice was signed after the agreement for this arbitration had been made an honest difference of opinion has arisen between the members of this board as to the extent to which the terms of this award shall be mandatory on American vessels. This board is unanimous, however, in its decision that this award shall be mandatory on all vessels owned or under requisition by the United States Shipping Board.

"Owing to the continued urgent national necessity in relation to shipping this board is also unanimous in urging on all private owners and operators of vessels not requisitioned that the wages set in this award shall be voluntarily paid by them in order that the conditions in this industry may continue stable and the possibility of any interruption in the traffic may be avoided."

The classes of vessels upon which wages shall be based are as follows:

Class A—Single screws, over 20,001 power tons; twin screws, over 15,001 power tons.

Class B—Single screws, 12,001 power tons to 20,000 power tons; twin screws, 9,001 power tons to 15,000 power tons.

Class C—Single screws, 7,501 to 12,000 power tons; twin screws, 5,501 to 9,000 power tons.

Class D—Single screws, 5,001 to 7,500 power tons; twin screws, 3,501 to 5,500 power tons.

Class E—Single screws below 5,001 power tons; twin screws below 3,501 power tons.

The wages for license officers of the deck and engineroom departments shall be as follows:

Masters—Class A, $375; B, $337.50; C, $325; D, $312.50, and E, $300.

Chief Engineers—Class A, $287.50; B, $268.75; C, $250; D, $231.25, and E, $212.50.

First Officers and First Assistant Engineers—Class A, $206.25; B, $200; C, $193.75; D, $187.50, and E, $181.25.

Second Officers and Second Assistant Engineers—Class A, $187.50; B, $181.25; C, $175; D, $168.75, and E, $162.50.

Third Officers and Third Assistant Engineers—Class A, $168.75; B, $162.50; C, $156.25; D, $150, and E, $143.75.

Fourth Officers and Fourth Assistant Engineers—Class A, $150; B, $143.75.

Junior Engineers—Class A, $125.

"The above rates," the statement continues, "shall become effective for all licensed officers signing on and after Jan. 1, 1919, and shall remain in full force and effect until May 1, 1919, and shall be subject to revision at any time thereafter upon the termination of thirty days after written notice served by any one of the interested parties to the United States Shipping Board at Washington, D. C.

"In issuing this award the commission has had in mind the conditions which have developed subsequent to the signing of the armistice, including the fact that the wages herein set are for a period of change and readjustment both internally and internationally. The commission has felt that during this period of readjustment in which there seems to be no immediate prospect of reduction in the cost of living, that the present rate of compensation paid in the coastwise service should not be diminished, but should be made universal for all services from Atlantic and Gulf ports. The commission has further felt that in view of the action of the Shipping Board abolishing the payment of bonuses to all members of the crew other than licensed officers, it should also abolish that extra compensation which was paid for transatlantic war zone risk. It has accordingly set a rate which does away with that part of the extra war risk compensation which was formerly paid for war zone voyages in exces of what was paid for voyages in the coastwise service."

LEAVES SHIPPING BOARD.

Captain Yates Resigns as Manager of Operating Division.

Captain Charles Yates, New York manager for the Shipping Board's Division of Operations, yesterday confirmed a report that he had sent his resignation to Acting Chairman John A. Donald at Washington. Captain Yates declined to give any reasons for his resignation, which will go into effect early in the new year.

Captain Yates was for many years associated with the Coast and Geodetic Survey, and was the first official selected by the late Bernard Baker to assist him in organizing the Shipping Board. When the United States entered the war Captain Yates came to New York and took a room in the Custom House as an office with two clerks. He organized a company for operating the former German-owned ships as they were repaired by the engineers at the Navy Yard. His office expanded until it occupies nearly two floors at the Custom House and directs the operation of 150 steamships of nearly 1,000,000 tonnage, manned by 8,000 officers and men. From 15 to 20 per cent. of all supplies for American soldiers and the Allies were carried in the vessels under Captain Yates's management.

STARTS BUILDING CAMPAIGN

Secretary Wilson to Launch Nation-Wide Movement at Boston.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A campaign for the nation-wide resumption of building operations will be inaugurated in an address tomorrow at a conference of State officials and respesentatives of labor and industry at Boston by Secretary William B. Wilson.

The direct purpose of the campaign will be to provide employment for the thousands of men returning to civil life after military service, but in urging the expenditure of $3,000,000,000, for a million new private residences, the Secretary of Labor also will seek to promote 100 per cent. Americanism and the lessening of unrest inspired by anarchistic doctrines, believing that there is no patriot like the man who has his own home to defend. In addition to the private building, Mr. Wilson believes the country would do well to expend $1,000,000,000 on roads and highways, and double that amount on other public works which make for the improvement of the living standard of the masses.

COURT CALENDARS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.
(<) This character means *versus* or *against*.

FEDERAL.

Southern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Hough, J.—In Room 3, 12th floor, Woolworth Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Admiralty.
Booth SS Co<Tug NY
Dunnigan<Tug Golden Rule.
Pinnillos<SS Elsie.
Schroeder<SS G Verdi.

DISTRICT COURT—Learned Hand, J.—In Room 335, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.
Bank'cy discharges:
George Fischer,
John E Danaher,
Thomas J O'Conner,
Abraham Winetsky,
Aaron Drusin,
Samuel Teichler,
Ida J Lask,
Julia W Porges,
A M & G A Gay,
Victor Qunet,
Alexander Jaret,
Benjamin F Thomas,
Frederick A Morrell,
Acme Gas & Elec Fix.
Under objections:
Charles W Galvin,
Hyman Krothman.
Adjourned cases:
George N Boehm.
Berthert & Stieglitz.
Motions:
R E King Shoe Mfg,
Wm H Rudolph,
Interocean Maritime Nav Co,
Wagner Bros,
Smith Blankbook Co,
Dunstan, Inc,
B Soloman & Co,
Schack Mfg Co,
Feuer & Solomon,
Evangeline I Bordner,
Max Marx,
Jacob Rogovin,
Sol Kirn,
Atwater, Foote & S,
Isaac Ephron,
Walter E Welborne.

DISTRICT COURT—Manton, J.—In Room 401, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Criminal.
US<Clamon.
Same<Peck.
Same<Barry & Wrenn.
Same<Drieblatt et al.

Eastern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Garvin, J.—In Room 312, P. O. Bldg., Brooklyn, at 10:30 A. M.—Criminal.—US< Geo Kurger.

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield, J.—In Room 323, P. O. Bldg., Brooklyn, at 10:30 A. M.—Admiralty.
Neumann<Morse D D & Repair Co.
Peterson<Nippon Yusen Kaisha.
Pike<Cornell Steamboat Co.
Re O'Brien Bros, Inc.
Olsen<Launch Soho.
Peterson<same.
Pehlbyck<Furness Withy Co.
Same<Str Unden.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Recess.
APPELLATE TERM—Recess.
SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Hendrick, J.—At 10:15 A. M. Litigated motions.
Harding<Conlon.
Charles Frohman, Inc<Popular Plays and Players, Inc.
Angel<Kardonsky.
Marshall<People.
N Y Telephone Co<Miller.
Cholmer<Cholmer.
De Moyne<Erie RR.
Burnham<Universal Film Mfg Co.
Stern<Malchnow.
Marder<Turton.
Kirk<Met Tobacco Co.
Kaufman<Steinberg(2)
Kirk<Met Tobacco Co.
Bock<Phillips.
Eisen<Rothstein-Rosenberg & Salny, Inc.
Armstrong<Addams.
Fagan<Gilbert.
Re Lamarche, (Lynch)
Jacobs<Geizler.
Platt<McMurtrie, (2.)
Wachtel<Mesler & Co
Re Tribune Credit Union, Inc.
Sternberg<Archer Rubber Co.
Sacksman<Crompton Richmond Co.
Humiston<Costigan.
People ex rel Cohen<Wisokc-Mazawietzker, &c. Socy.
Schaff<Josephthal.
Bay<Bay.
Barlow<Marlin-Rockwell Co.
Moss & Co<Lynch.
Scott<Scott.
Allen-Lane Co<Stahl.
Blue Ribbon Garage<Rundle.
Freeth<Ranzenberg.
Lund<Lund
World Film Co<Cunard SS Co.
Smith<Smith.
N Y County Bakery & Lunch Room<Thoelen.
Gen Theo Seminary of the Protestant, &c, Church<Goldstein.
Titus<Central Park, North, &c, RR.
Tearle<Ruggles.
Schleestein<Cohn.
Moore<Fitzpatrick.
Opler Brothers<Ceylon Cocoa and Coffee Co
Re Linton, (Kuttler.)
Rood<Moldofsky.
Guaranty Trust Co<2d Av Ry, (Fulton.)
Same<same, (McCauley.)
Re La Bohm.
Brunn<Goldstein.
Giarruso<Brady & Gloe, Inc, (2.)
Guedalia & Co<Jagodnik.
Orent<Kern.
Iulo<Bowery Sav Bk.
Penn Fire Ins Co<Prentice.
Re Chance, (Holme.) (2.)
Nom<Nom.
Tover<Bailey Co.
O'Rourke Eng Const Co<Booth & Flinn.
Owen<Levett.
Pomeroy<Kaskel.
Schlussel<Welkowitz
Shaine<Kugelman.
Re CNY<Ward.
Green River Distilling Co<Union Station Bank.
Gottlieb<Berger, (2.)
Thomashefsky<US Fid & Guar Co.
Logan<Turner, (2.)
Schlitten<Nossen Bag Co.
Mandelbaum<Schwartz.
Barnes<Barnes.
Benjamin<Gerlach.
Burke<Solomon.
McCann<Crowley.
Re Dur Eco Electric Co.
Brokaw<Farmers L & T Co.
Montrose<Montrose.
Smith<Topping.
Aronstein<Aronstein.
Petrocelli<Mooney.
Re Conti, (Conklin.)
Re Sheridan, (Poultney.)
Glastris<Glastris.
Re Wilson, (La Guardia.)
Wangrad<Hamilton.
Borough Bank of Brooklyn<Simonson.
Re Hutt, (Sash.)
Re Fine, (Schwartz.)
Re Jewish Protectory & Aid Society, (Blumstein.)
Deutscher<Deutscher.
Re Snyder.
Guzzone<Institute of Christian Doctrine, Inc.
Re Brown.
Breskin<Rapp.
Pratt<Gibbons.
Miller<C P N Chemical Co.
Newman<Breslauer.

PART II.—Donnelly, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Ex parte business.
PARTS III., IV., V., VI., VII., and VIII.—Recess.
TRIAL TERMS—Parts II., III., XI., and XIV.—Recess.
PARTS IV., V., VI., VII., VIII., IX., X., XII., XIII., XV., XVI., XVII., and XVIII.—Adjourned for the term.

Surrogates' Court.

CHAMBERS—Fowler, S.
At 10:30 A. M.:
Estate of Rebecca T R Gay.
At 11 A. M.:
Estate of Kathryn Paris.
Wills for probate—At 10:30 A. M.:
Charles Bart,
Rachel E Sheamen,
Catherine McGoldrick,
Anna E. Metz,
Louise Nordbuck,
Mary Barry,
Mable Warner,
Benjamin Adler,
Ellin Monahem,
Ernest W Anzel.
TRIAL TERM—Cohalan, S.—In Room 503, 5th floor, Hall of Records Bldg.—At 10 A. M.—No day calendar.

City Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Valante, J.—At 10 A. M.—Litigated motions.
Landman<Spencer Millinery Co.
Dalberg<Haller.
Shapiro<Workman.
Goldstein<Cohn.
Baird Snow Co<Ohio Corrugating Co.
Cooper<Roggen.
Schafer<Block, (2.)
Kuh<40 West 84th St, (2.)
Ripel<Erie RR, (2.)
Goodstein<Milady Hat Co.
Schreiber<Newmaek Snyder Co, Inc.
York Building Co<Albert Fixture Co.
Kaufman<Fidelity & Dep Co of Md.
Columbia Bank<Steinfeld.
Saell<Kremer & Sons Mfg Co.
Calanter<Matterson.
Finkelstein<Stern Brothers.
Snyder<Downs.
Grassgreen<General Baking Co.
Mc[illegible]hoowitz<Sloan, Inc.
Goldstein<N J Fidelity and Plate Glass Ins Co.
Solomon<Gold.
Leon<Dawid.
Mason<42d St, &c, Ry.
Postlnick<Union Ry.
Falasky<3d Av Ry.
Sturm<Post.
San Fernando Hts Lemon Co<Fruit Auction Co.
Landley<160 Broadway Holding Co.
Haeseler<Gibson.
Stern<Gen Platers' Supply Co, (2.)
Landley<160 Broadway Holding Co.
Rabinowitz<Lakin.
Maxey<Hall.
Tager<Wangrow.
Evans & Sons<Callanan.
Greenberg<Newman Cavallon Co.
Bass<The Regina Co.
Piccinni<Brandonisio.
Tannenbaum<Lindenberg.
PART II.—Valante, J.—At 10 A. M.—Ex parte business.
TRIAL TERMS—Parts I., II., IV., V., VI., VII., and VIII.—Adjourned for the term.
PART III.—Walsh, J.—At 10 A. M.—No day calendar.

Receivers Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Donnelly, J.—Henry H. Jackson<D. H. Jackson Co.—John P. Leo, Jr. Herbert F. Schwartz<Max Schenkein—John C. Hertle. Iphigenia Z. Place<Samuel Siskind—Henry Brady.

BRONX COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Finch, J.—At 10 A. M. Ex parte business.
SPECIAL TERM—Finch, J.—Motion calendar.
Turano<Freda.
Shaw<Oleland, (2.)
Henninger<Rosenthal.
Gershonowitz<Tompkins Estate.
Moore<Goldsmith (2.)
Zirinsky<Di Nardo.
Rosen<Belmart Rlty.
Roman Cath Orphan Asylum<Quin.
Helt<Walworth Bros.
Worth<Wirth.
Wolfberg<Lobartto.
Lynar<CNY.
Arras Garage, &c<Roser.
Zeldler<Zeidler.
Glassroth<Glassroth.
Buonomano<Kelly.
Cohen<Cohen.
Brand<Silver.
Hyland<Hyland.
Peo ex rel Sueffert<Wartburg Farm Sch.
Re CNY.
SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Finch, J.
Fuld<Fuld.
Inter Garden Club<Hennessy, as Com.
TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Mitchell, J.—No day calendar.
PART II.—Finch, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I.
PART III.—Cases to be sent from Trial term, Part I.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Schulz, S.—Ex parte business.
Motion:
Est of Barbara Klein.
Wills for probate:
Gustaf Henstrom,
Valentine Wille,
Charles Schaaf,
Mathilda Plundeke,
Henry Schneider,
Lena Mosner,
John S Colwell,
Katherina Hauck,
Anna Jensen.
Accountings:
Estates of—
Frank J Leonard,
Mary M Dowling,
Edward Brennan,
Anna Smyk,
Frank A Blauvelt,
William L Sands,
Isidor M Eisenberg,
Frank Todesco,
Isaac Yanowitz,
Anna E Hoehhalter,
Ida Kromen.
TRIAL TERM—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

County Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Gibbs, J.—Ex parte business.
SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Gibbs, J.—No day calendar.
TRIAL TERM—Wiggins, J.—No day calendar.

KINGS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE TERM—Second Department—Recess.
SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Benedict, J.—At 10 A. M.
Karleson<Hesse.
Galewitz<Weltman (2)
Re Chauncey.
Van Brink<Stultzle.
Hicks Beach<Frost.
Mitchell<NY Con RR.
Re Holly.
Rehkugler<Rehkugler
Savery<Savery.
Peace<CNY.
Rickerson<Rickerson.
Stern<Mardi Gras Theatre Co, (2.)
I R T<Arkawy.
Landress<Blohm.
N W Mutual Life Ins Co<Fordham.
Coyle<Glen Cove RR.
Randel<L I RR.
Giordano<same.
Luscher<Dorchester Theatre Co.
Mical<Safety Insulated Wire & C Co, (2.)
Budlong<Sperry.
Tuley<Cotton.
Rickershausen<Schuger.
Remske<Remske.
Fischer<Fischer.
Re Superior Fabric Glove Co.
Gray<Morgenthau.
Lee<Winans, (2.)
Stern<Halperin Bros.
Bond & Mtg G & T Co<Marra.
Re Partola Mfg Co.
Re Cloak & Skirt M Union, (Local 1.)
Conklin<Shonts.
Duffy<NY Con RR.
Martin<Derrenbacher, (2.)
Teich<Miller.
Boekhoff<Froehlich.
Soernssen<Soernssen.
Davis<Glen Cove L & P Co.
Jokubinas<McCullum.
Grossman<Hancock.
Bufano<Blaso.
Re Weiner<Jaffa.
Amer Mfg Co<Brady.
Same<Purdy.
Cunningham Realty Co<same.
Silverstein<Silverstein.
Haber<Libratti.
A L A Mfg & S Co<Weller.
Todd<Keller.
Gladman<Petersdorf.
Hamilton Trust Co<Keeling, (2.)
Doniger<Snyder.
PART II.—Cropsey, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.
SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Recess.
TRIAL TERM—Recess.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Ketcham, S.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.
Wills of:
Sarah Moore,
Louis Sturmer,
Barbaras Gapp,
Alphonse Benort,
Delia Oakley,
Edw. Schwarz,
Jennie Lascher,
George Bohler,
Isaac Wood,
Louis Potthoff,
Rudolph Lange,
David Brunswick,
F. Herbrand,
Myra Miller,
Theresa Costello,
Arthur Rundquist.
Administration of:
Frank Baldwin
Accountings of:
Rose Van Haaren,
John Smith,
Isabella Merrill,
Amelia Farrell,
David Davis,
Michael Mulligan,
Horatio Stratton,
Elizabeth Mantz,
George Stillwell,
Henry Irwin, Jr.
Guardianship of:
Katherine McKeon.
Estates of:
Edw. Robinson,
Manuel Dofuco,
Margaret Chatfield,
Edw. Lang,
Theodore Johnston,
Anna McIntyre.

County Court.

CIVIL—No day calendar.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Young, J.—At 10 A. M.
Yonkers Builders' Sup Co<Anderson.
Dykman<NYC.
Embury-Morris Co<Southard Robertson.
Coyne<Town of Greenburgh.
Stephenson<Mendelson.
Also for the hearing of motions.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT, STATE OF NEW York, County of New York.—George Gilchrist, Frank E. Bliss and Edward E. Swinney, co-partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Gilchrist, Bliss & Company, Plaintiffs, against Joseph H. Godwin, Jr., Thomas Patten, Thomas G. Patten, Walter R. Patten, Annie S. Patten, William Lustgarten & Company, Inc., Realty Redemption Company of New York, William B. Wolffe, Thomas A. Lynch, James B. Patten, The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, The City of New York, The Tax Lien Company of New York, also all persons unknown to plaintiffs claiming or who may claim to have an interest in or general or specific lien upon the real property described in the complaint in this action through or under the above named defendants, such unknown persons being herein generally described and being intended to be included in the following designations, viz:—the wives, widows, husbands, descendants, heirs-at-law, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, executors, grantees, lienors, assignees, or next of kin of the said named defendants or of any person or persons deriving any interest in or lien upon or title to the said real property, through or from them or any of them and their respective husbands, wives, widows and widowers, if any, and Charles O'Connor Hennessy, Trustee of the Tax Lien Company of New York, Bankrupt, Defendants.—Summons.—Lien No. 5305.

To the above named defendants and each of them: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiffs' attorney within 20 days after the service of this summons exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated, January 14th, 1918.

WILLIAM M. SULLIVAN,
Attorney for Plaintiffs, Office & P. O. Address, No. 35 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

To the defendants, Joseph H. Godwin, Jr., Thomas Patten, Walter R. Patten, Annie S. Patten, James B. Patten and William B. Wolffe, and all persons unknown to plaintiffs claiming or who may claim to have an interest in or general or specific lien upon the real property described in the complaint in this action through or under the above named defendants, such unknown persons being herein generally described and being intended to include in the following designations, viz:—the wives, widows, husbands, descendants, heirs-at-law, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, executors, grantees, lienors, assignees, or next of kin of the said named defendants or of any person or persons deriving any interest in or lien upon or title to the said real property, through or from them or any of them and their respective husbands, wives, widows and widowers, if any: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. Eugene A. Philbin, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 14th day of December, 1918, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York.

Dated New York, December 20th, 1918.

WILLIAM M. SULLIVAN,
Attorney for Plaintiffs. Office and P. O. Address, No. 35 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.

Notice is given that Ocean Steamship Company of Savannah, as owner of the steamship City of Athens, and William G. McAdoo, as Director General of Railroads, have filed their petition for limitation of liability for loss, damage, injury or destruction from collision between French Cruiser "LA GLORIE" and said vessel on May 1, 1918. Value of said vessel and freight fixed at $1,000. All persons claiming damages because of such loss, damage, injury or destruction must prove their claims before Herbert Green, Esq., Commissioner, at No. 1 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, on or before the 3d day of February, 1919, or be defaulted.

Dated, October 25, 1918.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY,
U. S. Marshal.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CASSIDY & SON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Bankrupt.—No. 26,333.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to an order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, Hon. John J. Townsend, Referee, will, at his office, No. 31 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on January 3, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, sell at public auction all the assets and estate of Cassidy & Son Manufacturing Company, bankrupt, as a going concern, as the same exists at noon on the said 3d day of January, 1919.

That at said auction sale, or any adjournment thereof, no bid will be received for less than the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars, ($110,000.)

The successful bidder at such sale will be required to deposit with the Referee for account of his bid a certified check for Twenty Thousand Dollars, or if such bid exceeds the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, the successful bidder will be required to deposit a certified check for ten per cent. of the amount bid.

The successful bidder will be required to pay the balance of the purchase price at the office of the Referee within five days after the date of the sale.

The appraisal of the property and estate of Cassidy & Son Manufacturing Company, made by the appraisers appointed in the above-entitled matter, is on file in the office of the Referee, and may be inspected by prospective bidders.

Further particulars as to the property to be sold may be obtained on application to the undersigned attorneys for the trustees, or either of them.

Dated New York, December 28, 1918.

JOHN J. TOWNSEND,
Referee in Bankruptcy, Room 908, 31 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.
WILLARD N. BAYLIS, 141 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City;
JEROME D. GEDNEY, 165 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City,
Attorneys for Trustees.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—No. 26,435.—In the matter of LOUIS GOLDMAN, Alleged Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of the Above Named Alleged Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of December, 1918, a petition in bankruptcy was filed against the above named alleged bankrupt, and that said alleged bankrupt has filed schedules of his property and a list of his creditors as required by law, which schedules may be examined at this office.

Further notice is given that after the alleged bankrupt has been examined in open court, the said alleged bankrupt proposes to offer terms of composition to his creditors of 25%, payable 10% cash and 15% in two notes of 7½% each, payable in three and six months, and that a meeting of the creditors herein will be held at the office of Peter B. Olney, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 68 William Street, New York City, on the 9th day of January A. D. 1919, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the alleged bankrupt, act upon the composition proposed by the alleged bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

PETER B. OLNEY,
Referee in Bankrutcy.

THE BUSINESS WORLD

Buyers' Wants

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BROADCLOTH Wanted.—Will pay cash for 15 pieces of Style 2192, Shade 2, Slater's navy broadcloth; quote best price. J. Blumenthal & Co., 1,026 Arch St., Philadelphia.

BROADCLOTH Wanted.—Open for Juilliards 110, all colors. Farragut 5166.

BROADCLOTH Wanted.—Botany or F. & H. Chelsea 4676.

BURELLA AND DELHI Wanted. Box Y 233 Times Annex.

CAPES AND COATS Wanted.—Jobber ready to place orders on Spring coats and capes. Call, with samples, all week, 1,140 Broadway, 3d floor.

COATS, SUITS, AND CAPES Wanted.—Better grade; with your material as well. Call all week, between 2 and 5 P. M., 302 5th Av., 8th floor.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber looking at Spring coats of better grade. 134 West 26th St., sixth floor.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber looking at better made coats for Spring, placing orders immediately. 7th floor, 129 West 22d.

COATS, Suits Wanted.—Jobber placing stock orders on newest models. Call all week, 11 West 32d, 5th floor.

COATS, SUITS Wanted.—Prominent jobber placing Spring orders, also juniors'. 4th floor, 6 West 32d.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber looking at Spring coats, better grade. 29 West 30th St., 8th floor.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber looking at Spring coats of better grade. 134 West 26th St., 6th floor.

COATS Wanted.—Nice, stylish Spring styles; better grade. Frank & Frank, 141 W. 28th.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted.—Jobber placing orders on Spring line. Gottlieb, 10 W. 32d.

COATS and SUITS Wanted.—Jobber placing orders. 6th floor, 32 East 31st St.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted.—Open for a quantity of three-thread crepe de chine; immediate delivery. Fair Waist and Dress Co., 1,372 Broadway, corner 37th St.

CREPE COTTON Wanted.—Printed Pacific Crepe in large quantity, at a price; call with samples, 11th floor. 118 West 22d St. Chelsea 3650.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted.—Quantity of 3 and 4-thread, must be very cheap. Schlang & Co., 151 West 26th.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber placing orders on better-grade of Spring silk dresses. Call with samples all the week, 1,133 Broadway, Room 1424.

DRESSES Wanted.—We are open for high class silk and serge dresses; stock orders placed. 21st floor, 6-8 East 27th.

DRESSES Wanted.—Placing orders on better grade dresses in all materials. Eidlinger & Desmonde, 20 West 27th St.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber open for taffeta and wash dresses; call all week. Essey Dress, 17 West 28th.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber placing orders on Georgettes and taffetas. 12 West 32d St., 7th floor.

DRESSES Wanted.—1,000 silk and serge. 16 East 33d, (4th floor.)

DUVET DE LAINE Wanted.—F. & H.; Spring shades only. Murray Hill 8371.

GABARDINES Wanted.—Tan, 4666. Knobel Bloom, 145 West 30th St., 11th floor.

GEORGIENNES Wanted.—Open for 20,000 yards, all colors, at a price; also dark shade georgettes and crepe de chines. Maxwell Waist, 189 6th Av.

GINGHAMS AND PERCALES Wanted.—All kinds; must be cheap. Madison Sq. 3822.

JERSEY Wanted.—Wool jersey, all newest Spring shades, open for quantity; call with samples. Premier Costume, 12 West 32d St.

METEOR Wanted.—Open for meteor, all colors, at a price. Monarch Dress, 6-8 East 27th.

MIDDIES Wanted.—Jobber wants samples middies. Room 21, 1,193 Broadway.

PLUSHES Wanted.—Cotton or mercerized, copen, rose, or cadet. Gramercy 806.

POIRET TWILLS, Gabardines, Tricotines Wanted.—Mail samples, state make, quantity, lowest cash price. J. G. Vogler, 622 Chestnut, Philadelphia.

POIRETS AND TRICOTINES Wanted.—Navy. Sprayregen-Marks, 158 West 29th.

POM POMS Wanted.—12075, black; also silvertones, all Spring colors. Farragut 3885.

POPLINS Wanted.—Poiret twills and tricotines in high shades, for cash. Farragut 4089.

POPLINS, Velours, Tricotines and Serges Wanted.—In Spring shades. 279 5th Av., 5th floor.

POPLINS Wanted.—In high shades, American woolen preferred, for cash. Gramercy 513.

POPLINS Wanted.—Brightwood, 4860, or similar, pekin. Henry Leavy & Son, 9 West 31st.

POPLINS Wanted.—High shades, spot cash. David Zimmerman, 129 West 27th.

POPLINS Wanted.—90610. Chelsea 6018.

SAMPLE SWATCHES or Clippings Wanted.—In cotton dress goods; also in silk and velvet; can use any sizes over four inches square, and any quantity over 100 pounds; representative in city every other week. Union Loom Works, Inc., Boonville, N. Y.

SERGES Wanted.—Open for quantity of Whitman No. 9, U. S. 235; American poplins, garbardines, velours, and silvertones, all Spring shades. Schlossman-Schiffer, 10 East 33d.

SERGES Wanted.—Open for big quantity, 1464, 0936, 235, 09070; spot cash, if price is right. Gramercy 6544.

SERGES Wanted.—838, 9, 99, navy, reasonable, cash. Schullman Bros., 104 West 27th. Farragut 3440.

SERGES Wanted.—Andrews 1464, American 0696, 0936, 09070, Gilbert 8200. G 325 Times.

SERGE Wanted.—Quantity Juilliards 4061, at a price. Madison Square 3863.

SERGES, Poplins, Tricotines, Poiret, Twill Wanted, for cash. Mad. Sq. 5671.

SERGE and PANAMA Wanted.—150 pieces. 14-16 East 33d, (4th floor.)

SERGE Wanted.—7120, black, quantities. Feynman, 19 West 21st.

SERGES Wanted.—Botany 780, for cash. Call Chelsea 2557.

SERGES Wanted.—235, 519, 11433. Mad. Sq. 6375.

SHEPHERD CHECKS Wanted.—All worsted only; good quality. Murray Hill 8371.

SILK UNDERWEAR Wanted.—Jobber now looking at samples for coming season, better grades. 1,133 Broadway, Room 623.

SILKS Wanted.—Radium silks in grey; can use quantity at right price. Madison Square 9415.

SILK CREPE DE CHINE Wanted.—Four-thread, large quantities. Phone Farragut 3214.

SILVERTONES Wanted.—Spring shades, any quantity; also Garfields, 4718 tricotines. Farragut 3757.

SILVERTONES Wanted.—Spring shades. Zuckerman & Bellsey, 33-35 East 21st St.

SUITS AND COATS Wanted.—Large jobber placing orders on suits and coats; new, snappy styles. Call all week, 9 to 12 and after 4:30, 1,140 Broadway, 10th floor.

SUITS Wanted.—Jobber placing stock orders on better grade ladies', juniors', and misses' suits and coats. 12 West 27th St., 8th floor.

SUITS and COATS Wanted.—Looking at samples. 122 West 26th St., 7th floor.

TRICOTINES Wanted.—Navy, black, and tan, 4718 Garfield, or 5782 Andrews; reasonable. M. R. Silverman, 151 West 26th St., New York City.

TRICOTINES AND POIRET TWILLS Wanted.—Any mill. J. Heit & Son, 99 Madison Av. Madison Square 8585.

TRICOTINES, Gabardines, Poiret Twills Wanted.—All shades. Ben Kramer, 2 West 33d, 11th floor. Madison Square 9656.

TRICOTINE Wanted.—4718 Garfield, navy; Garfield 4666 gabardine, all colors. Farragut 354.

TRICOTINES Wanted.—Open for tricotines, 4718, navy. Cohen-Endelman, 35 W. 31st.

TRICOTINE Wanted.—Andrew's navy and black, also shepherd check. Gram. 1899.

TWEED AND TRICOTINES Wanted.—Open to buy quantity for cash Fischer & Kennedy's tweed. Madison Square 5992.

VELOURS, POPLINS AND TRICOTINES Wanted.—Spring shades only, for cash. Sol. Levine & Co. Farragut 488.

VELOURS Wanted.—0360 taupe, $1.75; brown, $2.20; tricotines, Poiret twills. Gramercy 6334.

VELOURS Wanted.—American 032, F. & H., Parker Wilder Co. 822; quantities. G 326 Times.

VELOURS Wanted.—Dress house open for henna color Velour cloth. Madison Square 8820.

VELOURS Wanted.—Reindeer, all wool, heavyweight. Gram. 4469.

VELOURS Wanted.—American heavyweight, for cash. Chelsea 4676.

WHITE SERGES AND TRICOTINES Wanted.—All worsted; good qualities. Murray Hill 8371.

MADRAS Wanted.—White, cords, fancies, and pajama checks, suitable for men's athletic underwear. M. S. Hodes, care of Savada Bros., 585 Broadway, City.

YARNS Wanted.—Nainsooks 36-inch, Batiste 39-inch full combed; will buy for cash. The Wolf Co., 364 5th Av.

Offerings to Buyers

9 Cents per word each insertion.

AMERICAN SERGES, Poplins; also Velours, Delhis; all shades. Grossman Bros., Madison Square 4620.

APRONS.—Large batch of half aprons, house dresses, and flannelette nightgowns for January sales; low price. Levy & Ganis, Orchard 5212.

BAFFIN, beaver, Hudson, Kerami, plush, short coats, stoles, coatees, muffs to match, made and look like real fur. Michael Bros., 115 West 29th St.

BROADCLOTH.—F. & H., Botany; all colors; also velours. Farragut 5759.

CHIFFON VELVETS.—All colors, for immediate delivery. Madison Square 3314.

COATINGS.—Velours, pom pom, oxfords, and zibelines, light and heavy weights, to close out; also broadcloths. No telephone information. Franklin Woolen Co., 11 East 22d.

COATS.—Inventory sale; 500 silk-plush coats, 9-inch bottom, collar, and cuff; formerly $20, now $15.50; coats with shawl collar, $16.50; 500 silk plush coats, beaver trimmed bottom, collars and cuffs, $11; also assorted cotton plush coats at very low prices. Ulin Bros., 34 East 12th.

COATS.—Plushes, velours, silvertones, broadcloths, thibets, mixtures; ladies', juniors', children's plain fur-trimmed coatees, all kinds, 50c on the dollar; January sales. Hutner, 48 West 25th St.

COATS.—Closing out velours, du nord, silvertones, bolivias, and wool velours; mostly fur-trimmed; sacrifice owing to dissolution of partnership. Uhr & Dreyer, 35 West 35th St. Greeley 1773.

COATS.—High-grade; immediate delivery; reduced prices; Bolivia, silvertones, Normandies, pom poms, pile fabrics, &c., Spring line ready for jobbers. Mezeritzky & Stollerman, 28 West 27th St.

COATS.—Girls', 2 to 14 years; plushes, zibelines, cloths; on racks; quantities, assorted styles; real values; Spring line ready for jobbers. Kommel, 27 West 20th. Telephone 9749 Chelsea.

COATS.—To close out at a price, junior misses' and ladies'; raccoon, nutria, sealine trimmed; also plush coatees. Rosengarten, 11 East 31st.

COATS.—500 silvertone, velour, kersey, broadcloth, fur trimmed, self collars; must be closed immediately; very cheap. Emanuel, 43 West 27th St.

COATS.—Closing out, sacrifice, silvertones, velours, shawl and straight fur collars; must clear racks at once. I. Novick, 45 West 27th St.

COATS.—Immediate delivery, shawl seal collars, close below cost; velour dresses, wonders, $11.75-$13.75. Michael Senft, 29 W. 35th.

COATS.—Children's, juniors' and ladies' coats to close out at reasonable prices. Edelson & Hand, 16 West 22d St.

COATS.—1,000 all-wool velours, fur collars, lined and interlined, to close out, $10.75. Jos. Schwartz, 127 West 26th St.

COATS.—200, to close out, silvertone, broadcloth and velour. Eisenberg & Sommerfield, 32-34 East 31st St.

COATS.—Plush and cloth coats, ladies' and juniors', for immediate delivery. Schulman, 27 West 20th St.

COATS.—On hand, 1,000 coats, fur collars, lined and half lined; will sell lot at a price. Chelsea 6436.

COATS.—To close out for January sales, fur trimmed, $10 up. Blumenson Co., 56 West 22d.

COATS.—Fur-trimmed, up-to-date models at a big sacrifice. Cooper & Grapes, 302 5th Av.

COATS.—Better grade fur-trimmed, closing out. Louis Baumann Co., 12 East 32d St.

COATS.—Job fur trimmed; close out big reduction. Bernstein, 118 West 27th.

COTTON GOODS.—Sateens are being sold at the very lowest prices by Nathan & Heyman.

DRESSES.—Georgette, satin, taffeta, jersey, and serge, large selection dancing, afternoon, and street dresses; price reasonable; immediate deliveries. Wiesen & Goldstein, 1,107 Broadway, corner 24th.

DRESSES.—10 newest models, all wool French serge, $5.50; men's wear serge, $6.75-$13.50; greatest values for immediate sales; jobs to close. Feller, 30 West 32d St.

DRESSES.—Special assortment of all-wool French serge dresses; rockbottom prices; immediate delivery. Dresses that will make January sales. Casino Dress, 368 6th Av.

DRESSES.—Serges, satins, silks, taffetas, velvets, jerseys; also waists, skirts, all kinds, 50c on the dollar. Hutner, 48 W. 25th.

DRESSES.—500 advanced Spring serge dresses for January sales to close out. M. Taub & Co., 38 West 26th.

DRESSES.—See our wool French serge, $6.50, jerseys $9.75, jobs to close. Loeb Nussbaum, 31 West 26th St.

DRESSES.—1,500, big assortment of serge, at lowest prices. Pauline Ladies' Garment Company, 36 West 33d St.

DRESSES.—3,000 all-wool serge dresses, values from $9 to $12, at $6.75 net. P. Kalika, 135 West 27th St.

DRESSES.—300, up to the minute serges and satins to close out. Will Stecker, 17 West 28th.

DRESSES.—All wool and silk, 300; will sacrifice. Chatham Dress, 27 East 22d.

FURS.—Jobs, coats, scarfs, muffs; come pick them off the racks. Kaplan, 40 West 34th St.

FURS.—Jobs; collars of every description. Kaplan, 40 West 34th St.

GEORGETTE.—High-grade qualities, for immediate delivery. Madison Square 3313.

GINGHAMS AND PERCALES.—200 cases, biggest assortment, great sacrifice. New York Textile Exchange, 1,182 Broadway. Madison Square 3822.

KHAKI.—Large quantity of 16-ounce khaki remnants reasonable. Spring 7350.

LINENS.—45-inch, white Ramie linen to close out. Gramercy 3004.

NIGHT GOWNS.—100 dozen good make Scotch flannel silk trimmed; low price. Orchard 228.

ORNAMENTS.—25,000 gilt cross rifles and cross sabres for oversea caps. Kirk, 1,627 North 10th, Philadelphia.

PEAU DE CYGNE.—50 pieces white, heavy quality, to close out. 71 West 23d St., Room 1011.

PIQUE.—2,000 yards, high grade quality, No. 2 wale. Gramercy 6866. Diamond Neckwear, 64 West 23d.

PLUSH.—50 pieces Hinds & Harrison silk plush to be sold at $3.35 net cash; Dobson's 54-inch cotton plush at $1.25; Dobson's beaver, 50-inch, $2.10; to close on account of stock taking. Stuyvesant 3046.

PLUSHES.—Mercerized, all shades, to close out. Gramercy 806.

POPLINS.—American 9610, 0677, blacks and navy; also tricotines; very cheap. Madison Square 8598.

POPLINS.—Arthur Joal's 6500, black and navy; also velours, all colors. Madison Square 5825.

POPLINS.—P. P. L. 4860, 4927, 777, 4916, 1080; broadcloths and velours. Madison Square 651.

POPLINS.—Dobson 503; also Lorraine; Poiret twill, 3666. Madison Square 3388.

POPLIN.—High shades, at right price. Alex Kogut, 129 West 22d.

POPLINS.—06077, 8158, and 0609. Spring 606.

RADIUMS.—Fancies for linings; immediate delivery. M. Marks Co., 354 4th Av. Madison Square 9380.

SATEENS, navy and gray, for cash. Chelsea 4840. Mortimer, Herrman & Co., 26 West 17th St.

SATIN.—36-inch width, Seco Mills quality, rose, lavender, and navy blue shades; also large lot of wool and cotton felt, medium weight, colors red and blue. Illustrated Art & Novelty Co., 137 East 25th St.

SECO SILK.—First quality, 250 pieces, 25c net; printed tissue, 14 cases; wonderful assortment, 16½c; cambrics, organdies, voiles, biggest assortment, very cheap. New York Textile Exchange, 1,182 Broadway. Madison Square 3822.

SECOS for sale, white and all colors. Farragut 2393.

SERGES.—Also high shades, 54289, 7120, U. S. 235, 838, Botany 809, 104, 99, 1464, 7008, W. F. X., M. F. L., 528, Broadhead 500, 8000, 3700, 7800, Whitman's 774 black and navy, 228, P. P. L., American Poplin 90610, 06077. Henry Samson, 656 Broadway. Spring 2716.

SERGES.—Poplins and panamas 838, 9058, 9288, 0578, C. S. G., C. S., C. F. S., F. S. G., T. P. S., 1717, K. S., H. W. P., P. P. L., 774, 06077, B. P. N. L., 1305, 230, 228; also shepherd checks. No telephone information. Franklin Woolen Co., 11 East 22d.

SERGES AND POPLINS.—MFL, CSG, PPL, 4061, FSW; lowest market prices. Simon Agress, 1,123 Broadway. Faragut 2932.

SERGES.—6234, $1.92½; 99, $1.90; 3850, $1.77½; 104, $1.80; 7120, $1.55; 54289, $1.47½. United States Textile, Gramercy 1337.

SERGES.—1464, 7302, 4632, 106, 3700, 9288, 7120, 800, 11433, WFX, 500; poplins, 6009, 503, 6609½; long terms. Farragut 9407.

SERGE.—W. F. X., 65 pieces; botany 7648, 55 pieces; 4059, 25 pieces; lowest prices. Telephone Madison Square 9859.

SERGES.—All colors; 7122 W. F. T., 54292, 9288, 4632, 0609 poplins, Dobson's, Brightwood, Scotia. Gramercy 4404.

SERGES.—54289, 11433, 7120, 9302, 0970, W. F. X., very cheap. H. Davidoff Co., Madison Square 4622.

SERGES.—54289, 7120, 99, 519 Newport, poplin 90610, 774, navy and black, very cheap. Gramercy 6544.

SERGE, all wool single warp, for cash. Chelsea 4840. Mortimer Herrman & Co., 26 West 17th St.

SERGES.—519; W. F. X. 4632, 8703; Cleveland's, Newport's, M. F. L. Mad. Sq. 651.

SERGES.—0609, $1.70; 3850, $1.70; poplin 6709½, $1.85; 767, $1.87½. Gramercy 845.

SERGES.—54289, original tickets and wrappers, $1.47½, net cash. Chelsea 9745.

Offerings to Buyers

SERGES.—104, 54289, green, gray, and tan; will sell cheap; 4408 navy, 90c. Chelsea 6618.

SERGES.—All wool, 36-inch; 4002-87 Whitman, 80c. Telephone Farragut 3489.

SERGES.—104, navy, also 0696 and 8158 poplin. Madison Square 2195.

SHEPHERD CHECKS, all cotton, for cash. Chelsea 4840. Mortimer, Herrman & Co., 26 West 17th St.

SHIRTS.—15,000 white muslin shirts, open back, sizes 15½ and 16. Kirk, 1,627 North 10th, Philadelphia.

SHOES.—15,000 pairs shoes, canvas and leather uppers; sizes 7 and 8. Kirk, 1,627 North 10th, Philadelphia.

SILKS.—Immediate delivery. Georgettes, Georgines, crepe de chines, meteors, wash satins, radiums, silk poplins, file, charmeuse, satins, taffetas, tussahs, domestic; all grades and colors; prices always right. M. Marks Co., 354 4th Av. Madison Square 9380.

SILKS.—Faille silk, 36 inches wide, of a very good quality at $2 a yard. Spring 606.

SILVERTONES.—Holden Leonard oxford and navy, $3 net cash; Read's tricotine, 7161 navy. Madison Square 4173.

SUITS.—High-grade velours, serges, and Oxfords to close out. Potter & Schattman, 147 West 22d. Chelsea 7233.

TAFFETAS.—All shades, for immediate delivery. Madison Square 3313.

TRICOTINES.—Garfield's 4718 beaver, Arthur Joel's tan, Garfield's poiret rookie; also Holden Leonard reindeer silvertone. Madison Square 1520.

TRICOTINES.—Garfield's 4718; also 5010, navy and colors; Poiret twills. Madison Square 5825.

TRICOLETTES, in all colors, below market prices. Madison Square 8625.

TRICOTINES.—Poiret twills, velours, Spring shades. Farragut 5759.

VELOUR COATS.—Fur-trimmed, shawl, collars, $10.75 up; plush coats, fur-trimmed, $12.75 up. David Zimmerman, 129 West 27th St.

VELOURS, serges, poplins, oxfords, &c., to cutting-up trade; all leading numbers. Evans Brothers, 404 4th Av. Mad. Sq. 202.

VELOURS.—Forstman's new taupe, 5 pieces, Parker Wilder brown, heavy, 2 pieces 0359, all colors, 11433-0936 navy. Greeley 6942.

VELOURS.—Reindeer and other shades, also tricotine, poiret twills. Mad. Sq. 8434.

VELVET—Duplex Blumenthal's stripe velvet, 2,000 yards, to close out; no reasonable offer refused. Miltex, 22 West 32d.

Contracts Offered.

CONTRACTORS Wanted with samples, on fancy capes; only those capable of producing snappy styles. Address Capes, Room 2502, 110 West 40th.

SKIRTS Wanted.—Contractors on skirts, bring samples; call all week. Imperial State Dress Co., 26 West 17th St.

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PREDICTS PROSPERITY ERA.

Chamber of Commerce Gives Cheery Report of Business Outlook.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—"The dominant and cheery note in the story of general conditions today is the calm and collected manner in which the business world views the uncertain future which lies before us."

Thus the general business situation is summed up in a report to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States by its Committee on Statistics and Standards.

"There are all sorts of forecasts as to the nature and volume of business during the next six months," the report continues. "They vary from a dull Winter and a good Spring and Summer to no business at all until a good harvest matures, or to only a fair business until the reconstruction process is completed. But this seems to be the most popular prophecy, namely, a period of intermediate length working itself out by common sense and forethought to a far better era and greater prosperity than ever has been our portion in the past. In this forecast the volume of foreign trade plays a large share."

The report points out that there is a widespread feeling that there must be a lowering of prices and adds:

"The general desire is not for radical reductions, but rather for such gradual declines as conditions may warrant. Commingled with this is the knowledge that wages and salaries have much to do with the cost of commodities today and nothing is further from the general thought than that there should be substantial reductions in the income and purchasing power of the many, but rather that a realignment of this nature should assume the form of readjustment in the line of such wages and salaries as are not warranted under the changed situation.

Business is going on, the report declares, much as before the signing of the armistice, although in somewaht reduced volume. The report continues:

"There has been no sudden drastic economy, nor financial panic, nor in fact any of those untoward events which in the past we have reckoned as being the natural accompaniment of the end of a period of prosperity. In fact, there is a widespread feeling that the present situation is merely a readjustment and a realignment to something far better in the future when we have surmounted the difficulties that lie directly ahead of us, and thus found a firm foundation for greater business, both domestic and foreign, than we have ever known in the past.

"On the whole, however, the general thought is most immediately concerned as to how we shall compass the next six months, and how we shall get safely through the time between now and the coming harvest with as little disturbance to business as possible.

"Meanwhile buying of all kinds is cautious and conservative and largely for immediate needs. Commitments for the future are mostly postponed until they become more immediately pressing."

Stocks in the hands of retailers, the report sets forth, are generally normal.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS.

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

ALTOONA, Penn.—L. Bergman; jobs coats, suits, serge dresses; 37 W. 26th.

BALTIMORE—Maas & Kemper; J. T. Windsor, ribbons; Broztell.

BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; R. Phillips, hotel supplies; 470 4th Av.; Breslin.

BOSTON—W. Filene's Sons Co.; basement buyers; Miss Golding, waists; V. P. Ring, furs; J. F. O'Brien, women's, misses' coats, suits; C. D. Cooper, general merchandise; 116 West 32d.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; Miss B. Armstrong, cotton waists; F. E. Ruggles, children's hosiery, knit underwear; Miss C. Maddock, children's millinery; W. F. Myers, silk waists; Miss N. Hammelburg, women's neckwear; Miss K. J. Sutton, buttons; E. J. Pendergast, silks; Miss D. E. Teeley, misses' waists; R. A. Southworth, pictures; Mr. Thurston, representing W. N. London, bags, trunks, leather goods; W. J. Brooks, silverware; L. McCarthy, general mdse.; F. A. Burdick, women's coats, skirts; F. H. Jury, inexpensive dresses; G. H. Hitchcock, men's clothing; J. A. Keough, men's clothing, basement; Miss S. E. Ludwig, infants' wear, basement; Miss M. Beckwith, silverware; S. J. Styffe, men's furn. goods; J. T. Donovan, men's hosiery, underwear; E. A. Brown, auto goods; Miss S. Grant, coats, suits, dresses, waists; Miss M. McHugh, misses' dresses; W. J. McLain, jewelry; 432 4th Av.

BUFFALO—I. S. Given; Mr. Boyd, jobs coats, dresses; 37 West 26th.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Sinclair, Rooney & Co.; J. S. Duncan, trimmed hats; 621 B'way.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—J. S. Given; jobs cloth, plush coats, silk, serge dresses; Mr. Boyd, jobs cloth, plush coats, silk, serge dresses; 37 W. 26th.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—D. B. Loveman Co.; W. M. Sporborg, women's ready-to-wear, general merchandise; 1,150 Broadway.

CHICAGO—M. Kahn, Spring coats, suits; 1,170 Broadway; Room 500.

CHICAGO—Marten's Cloak Store; M. Rosenberg, Fall dresses; 1,170 Broadway; R. 500.

CHICAGO—Ed Gordon; children's dresses; 15 East 26th; R. 1910.

CHICAGO—Chicago Mercantile Co.; C. L. Stonehill, flowers, feathers, ostrich plumes; 621 Broadway.

CINCINNATI—S. Ach & Co.; Miss E. Bunting, millinery; 621 B'way.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—Clark-Davis Co.; J. H. H. Davis, flowers, feathers, trimmed hats; 621 B'way.

DETROIT—Crowley, Milner & Co.; Mrs. Ward, waists; 116 West 32d.

DUBUQUE, Iowa—E. Gordon; children's dresses; 15 East 26th; R. 1910.

EASTON, Penn.—Ross Millinery Co.; G. Gross, flowers, fancies; 621 Broadway.

EASTON, Penn.—W. Laubach & Sons; G. A. Laubach, merchandise mgr.; 41 Union Sq.

GALVESTON, Texas—Galveston Dry Goods Co.; R. Weis, dry goods, furnishing goods; 43 Leonard.

HARRISBURG, Penn.—Brown & Co.; W. H. Brown, carpets, furniture; Imperial.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—B. Ransom Stores; M. F. Shapoff, men's clothing; McAlpin.

MUSCATINE, Iowa—E. Gordon; children's dresses; 15 East 26th; R. 1910.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—L. Teibleman & Co.; L. Bernstein, piece goods; 43 Leonard.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—The Emporium; Miss F. Houghton, millinery; T. Tobias, millinery, ready-to-wear; 1,199 Broadway.

OMAHA, Neb.—Thiele Millinery Co.; J. J. Thiele, millinery; Continental.

PHILADELPHIA—Stewart's; Mr. Ruben, coats; Miss Yankiloss, jobs coats; 15 E. 26th.

PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann-Baer Co.; Miss A. E. Frevert, furs; 404 4th Av.

PITTSBURGH—J. Horne Co.; C. M. Shuart, men's, boys' clothing; 470 4th Av.

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PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; Mrs. C. E. Henry, waists; 404 4th Av.

PITTSBURGH—Boggs & Buhl; L. N. Shuman, dress goods; H. Smith, linens; 1,140 Broadway.

SAN FRANCISCO—United Hat Co.; H. J. Kossoy, millinery, straw goods; McAlpin.

ST. LOUIS—Klein's; Miss M. E. Donnelly, juvenile wear; 404 4th Av.

ST. LOUIS—Golluber Millinery Co.; J. Golluber, millinery; 97 Bleecker.

ST. LOUIS—King-Brinsmade Merc. Co.; W. B. Elsen, manufacturing department; 621 Broadway.

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STREATOR, Ill.—E. Gordon; children's dresses; 15 East 26th; R. 1910.

TRENTON, N. J.—Ross Millinery Co.; H. Gross, millinery; 621 Broadway.

WILKES-BARRE, Penn.—Fowler, Dick & Walker; B. T. Shuman, ready-to-wear; 212 5th Av.

WILKES-BARRE, Penn.—J. Bergman; jobs cloth, plush coats, silk serge dresses; 37 W. 26th.

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JOHN F. GALVIN, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
L. J. O'REILLY,
Commissioners, Board of Water Supply.
BENJ. F. EINBIGLER, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

The undersigned receiver of the New Jersey Dairy Products Co., Inc., requests bids for the assets of the above named company, both as a going concern and as individual lots. The property, which is located at 228 Fayette St., Perth Amboy, N. J., consists of a large stock of wholesale groceries, delivery trucks, and a large amount of book accounts. Bids for the property either in separate lots or bulk should be in the hands of the receiver not later than 9 A. M. Tuesday, December 31, 1918, as the bids will be submitted for confirmation, and instruction as to private or public sale, to Vice Chancellor Lane, at Chambers, Prudential Bldg., Newark, N. J., on December 31, 1918, at 10 A. M.

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THE FINANCIAL SITUATION.

Public Utility Needs Come Forward.

The decline which occurred last week among certain railroad and public utility securities may be said to have had a more direct connection with financial problems lying ahead than any other movement since the armistice was declared. Among public utility issues was this particularly evident. Both stocks and bonds of local traction companies established new low records, if not for their full life to date, at least for several years past. The same tendency toward a lower market appraisal has been reported from centres other than New York and undoubtedly stands as a reflection of the credit position of various companies under present conditions. The factors militating against the profitable operation of many concerns have been referred to so often that they have become, perhaps, rather trite in public esteem, but they are very real nevertheless, as statements of earnings and expenses have displayed for many months past. Operating costs, including wages, have risen steadily throughout the war period, with the result that even in cases where increased service rates have been allowed public utility organizations they have not much more than covered the rising expense account, if they have done that. In localities where the authorities have not allowed street railway fares to be increased or advances to be made in gas and electric charges the situation, of course, has been more burdensome. The outlook is made all the more serious by the fact that more than $250,000,000 of maturing obligations of public utility companies will have to be met in the next twelvemonth, of which not far from one-fourth are due next February. It is not going too far to say that the solution of the public utility problem is one already taxing the resource of executives of the companies, bankers, and municipal authorities. Various plans had been proposed and some put into operation, calling for a greater community of interest between municipal governments and the corporations, and it is expected in some quarters that this movement will have to go much further. At the same time there are opponents to the extension of such dual responsibilities, whose chief contention is based on the premise that Government ownership, local or national, might be the possible outcome. The bugaboo of political complications stands before many bankers and public utility managers when they consider remedial measures. Railroad executives and security owners are working on a program for the settlement of the railroad situation, but so far no form of nation-wide co-operation on the public utility question has been brought forward. The situation of numerous utility securities, with a special reference at this time to those of companies in New York, indicates the great need of a broad and representative organization to take hold of the problem. The embarrassment to public welfare and business enterprise from a really severe impairment of credit among the public utility organizations is evident without mentioning specific details. There are indications, fortunately, that State and municipal leaders are realizing the necessity for early co-operation with many companies and with their bankers, and the security market has emphasized the need of late for haste in completing practical proposals which will bolster up credit before periods of necessity arrive.

The Association of Railway Executives have decided to postpone for several days the meeting which was scheduled here for today. The announced purpose for this action is to have incorporated in their plan for turning the railroads back to their owners the ideas of other interests than those the railroad operators represent. Thus far the public has not been informed of the major features of the tentative proposal and it may be that the plan will not be laid open for general discussion before it is presented to the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, which begins its hearings this week. The length of time which has been devoted to the plan forecasts a carefully prepared program, and it is to be hoped that in it will be contained details which will give owners of railroad securities material for exercising judgment in respect to the future of railroad securities. The selling pressure which developed last week among railroad stocks may have its basis in nervousness over the outlook for railroad control, although it was probable that discussion of currrent high wages and the need of the carriers for much new money in the next year had its effect on day to day dealings in railroad stocks.

The reduction of the price of copper from 26 to 23 cents for both export and domestic sales indicated, like the earlier lowering of steel prices, an effort on the part of producers to reach a common ground with consumers for doing business. It stands to reason that the price was tentative, and until consumers make their opinion known through purchases for future delivery it will not be disclosed whether the readjustment market is to start off at 23 cents or not. Presumably the new quotation represents the product of careful study among copper men of the relation between profits and current costs. An uncertain factor in the market is the item of wages at mine and refinery. It is to be assumed that the majority of producers felt in establishing the quotation of 23 cents that if buying broadened out at this level the existing scale of wages need not be greatly disturbed, provided, of course, that consumption expanded to a figure which permitted of profitable operations. Quite likely several weeks will pass before the opinion of consumers is registered, and in the meantime it is expected that the subject of wages in reference to the price of the metal will be fully discussed by the producers and representatives of workers.

The advance of call money rates to the 6 per cent. level last week appeared to have relation to fresh Government demands on the credit market. The Treasury Department notified the banks of an offering of $750,000,000 certificates of indebtedness dated Jan. 2, and at the same time came information from Washington that the current expenditure of the Treasury was running at an exceptionally high level. The process of liquidating the vast amount of war contracts is being expedited and for this reason the outlay of Government funds during the current month will probably prove to be nearly double the estimated average for the monthly disbursements of the next half year. The newest offering of certificates stands third in size of the various issues of the year.

TO EXPORT WOOLEN GOODS.

Company Organized to Sell Cotton and Other Textiles Abroad Also.

Another constructive step by American industry in meeting the demands of the world in the reconstruction period following the war is disclosed by the announcement that the Textile Alliance Export Corporation has been organized under the auspices of the American Association of Woolen and Worsted Manufacturers, the Association of Cotton Textile Merchants, the National Association of Wool Manufacturers, and the National Council of Cotton Manufacturers, to sell woolen and cotton merchandise and other textiles to foreign countries. The concern has been organized under the laws of this State with a capital of $100,000 of 7 per cent. cumulative preferred stock without voting power, and 100 shares of common stock without par value. The common stock is owned equally by the four associations under whose auspices the company has been formed, and carries voting power and control. Directors of the corporation have been named by the four associations.

The company proposes to appoint representatives in the big markets of Europe, and it is understood that the services of the associations will be offered to the relief commissions of European countries. The Directors are William H. Baldwin, Cornelius N. Bliss, Bertram H. Borden, Elisha P. Cronkhite, S. F. Dribben, Henry W. Howe, Manton B. Metcalf, G. H. Milliken, John R. Munn, George Nichols, J. Harper Poor, Frederick K. Rupprecht, Lorenzo Semple, J. P. Stevens, Ridley Watts, and Malcolm D. Whitman.

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RECORD OF TRANSACTIONS.

New York Stock Exchange, week ended Dec. 28, 1918:

STOCKS, (SHARES.)

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Monday	348,487	421,754	Holiday
Tuesday	425,504	Holiday	796,050
Wednesday	Holiday	400,890	835,224
Thursday	655,717	1,152,762	954,764
Friday	721,195	1,102,912	660,335
Saturday	579,337	453,810	Holiday
T'l week	2,730,240	3,532,128	3,246,373
Y'r to date	141,244,149	183,677,824	232,842,807

BONDS, (PAR VALUE.)

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Monday	$15,083,000	$4,848,500	Holiday
Tuesday	17,189,500	Holiday	$3,275,000
Wednesday	Holiday	4,894,500	3,329,000
Thursday	21,839,000	6,834,500	4,267,000
Friday	34,673,500	7,409,000	3,324,000
Saturday	19,462,000	3,648,500	Holiday
T'l week	$108,097,000	$27,635,000	$14,195,000
Year to date	2,020,511,500	1,046,301,950	1,161,625,250

In detail last week's transactions compare as follows with the same week a year ago:

BONDS.

	Dec. 28, '18.	Dec. 29, '17.	Change.
RR. & mis.	$10,212,000	$10,466,500 −	$254,500
Governm't.	97,772,000	17,086,500 +	80,685,500
State	23,000	28,000 −	5,000
City	90,000	54,000 +	36,000
T'l all	$108,097,000	$27,615,000 +	$80,482,000

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

WEEK ENDED DEC. 28, 1918.

	Last Week.	Year to Date.
Total sales	2,780,240	141,244,149
Same period a year ago	3,532,128	183,677,824

	Last Week. High.	Last Week. Low.	Year to Date. High.	Year to Date. Low.
Average price 50 stocks	78.45	71.42	80.16	64.12
Same period a year ago	65.57	59.23	90.46	57.43

Sales.	COMPANY.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
3,000	ADAMS EXPRESS	49	42	45¾	−4½
1,200	Advance Rumely	24½	23½	23¾	−¾
1,200	Advance Rumely pf.	59	57½	57½	−2½
1,200	Ajax Rubber	67½	65	†65¼	−⅝
7,370	Ajax Rubber rights	1¼	1	1	..
6,900	Alaska Gold Mines	4	3½	3½	−¼
13,650	Alaska Juneau	2	1⅝	1⅝	..
19,300	Allis-Chalmers Mfg.	33¼	30	32⅞	+1⅛
1,600	Allis-Chalmers Mfg. pf.	85¼	84¼	85	+1
900	Am. Agricul. Chem.	100½	99¼	100½	−½
100	Am. Agricul. Chem. pf.	96½	96½	96½	−½
6,400	Am. Beet Sugar	63	60⅜	61	−2
100	Am. Brake Shoe & F. pf.	160	160	160	−12
16,000	Am. Can	46¾	45⅜	46¼	−¼
1,700	Am. Can pf.	98¼	97¼	97¾	+1
18,200	Am. Car & Fdy.	91⅜	86⅝	91	+3¾
110	Am. Car & Fdy. pf.	114	114	114	+6¼
1,400	Am. Cotton Oil	39⅝	38⅝	39	−1⅝
100	Am. Cotton Oil pf.	88	88	88	..
574	Am. Express	86	83½	83½	−5½
4,700	Am. Hide & Leather	13¾	12⅞	13	−⅝
23,700	Am. Hide & Leather pf.	71¼	65½	70¾	+1
1,000	Am. Ice	41	39½	40	..
600	Am. Ice pf.	56¾	56	56	−1
8,900	Am. International	56	53¾	56	+1½
14,800	Am. Linseed	47½	44½	46⅞	+1⅞
2,500	Am. Linseed pf.	90⅝	87¾	90	+2½
12,300	Am. Locomotive	62	60⅛	61¼	+⅛
100	Am. Locomotive pf.	101	101	101	+1
3,200	Am. Malting	5	4¼	4⅜	−⅝
500	Am. Malt. 1st pf., c. of d	45	44	45	−1⅜
86,250	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	79⅝	74⅝	76¼	−2⅝
500	Am. Smelt. & Ref. pf.	107⅝	106½	106½	−1⅛
50	Am. Snuff	100½	100½	100½	..
2,900	Am. Steel Fdys.	86	83¾	85¾	+1¼
2,300	Am. Sugar Refining	111½	110	111½	+1
100	Am. Sugar Refining pf.	112	112	112	−⅝
4,900	Am. Sumatra Tob.	96¼	94¼	96¼	+1½
100	Am. Sumatra Tob. pf.	92¾	92¾	92¾	+1¾
16,780	Am. Tel. & Tel.	98⅝	97⅜	98	−½
2,662	Am. Tobacco	195	188½	195	..
210	Am. Tobacco pf., new	98½	98½	98½	..
3,500	Am. Woolen	52½	50	50½	−2
300	Am. Woolen pf.	95	94¼	*94½	−⅜
6,500	Am. Writing Paper	29	27½	28½	−1
1,000	Am. Zinc, L. & S.	12½	12	12½	−½
250	Am. Zinc, L. & S. pf.	45	44	44	−1
107,440	Anaconda Copper	64⅛	59⅝	60¼	−3¾
3,650	Assets Realization	1	½	⅝	−⅝
800	Associated Dry Goods	18⅝	17¾	17⅞	−¾
400	Associated Oil	69⅝	68¼	68¼	+1⅜
11,900	Atch., Top. & S. F.	93	90	93	+2½
1,900	Atch., Top. & S. F. pf.	90¾	88	88½	−½
1,900	Atlanta, Birm. & At.	7½	5	5	−2
300	Atlantic Coast Line	103¼	100	*100¼	+⅝
5,200	Atl., Gulf & W. I.	111	108	110½	+2
200	Atl., Gulf & W. I. pf.	67	66½	66½	+1
29,900	BALDWIN LOCO.	75	71¼	74¼	−⅝
100	Baldwin Loco. pf.	102	102	102	..
17,459	Baltimore & Ohio	53	50⅛	50⅝	−2⅞
3,500	Baltimore & Ohio pf.	57	55	55½	−2⅝
1,760	Barrett Co.	104	101¼	101⅛	−5⅝
1,100	Batopilas Mining	1¾	1½	1½	−¼
3,370	Bethlehem Steel	61⅛	60⅛	60⅝	−1½
39,300	Bethlehem Steel, Class B	62⅝	60⅛	61⅝	−⅞
100	Bethlehem Steel pf.	84	84	84	−5¼
1,000	Bethlehem Steel 8% pf.	104¼	104	104⅛	+⅛
2,500	Booth Fisheries	22½	21¼	21⅜	−1⅜
58,800	Brooklyn Rapid Transit	29¾	25⅝	26¾	−8¼
500	Brooklyn Union Gas	81½	80	80	−10
500	Bruns. Term. & Ry. Sec.	9¼	8¼	9¼	+½
300	Burns Brothers	152½	150¼	150¼	−1⅞
8,300	Butte Copper & Zinc	6⅝	6	6	−⅞
4,300	Butte & Superior	19⅝	18	18	−2½
200	Butterick Co.	17½	17¼	17½	..
500	CALIFORNIA PACK.	47¾	47¼	47¾	+⅝
1,300	California Petroleum	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛	−½
900	California Petroleum pf.	64	63	*63	−1¾
900	Calumet & Arizona	62¾	61¼	61½	−3¼
200	Canada Southern	46	46	46	..
7,000	Canadian Pacific	157½	154½	157	+1
200	Case (J. I.) Co. pf.	91½	91½	91½	−½
10	Central & So. Am. Tel.	106	106	106	..
46,200	Central Leather Co.	59¼	54¾	58¼	−⅝
600	Central Leather Co. pf.	103	101½	103	−1½
100	Certain-Teed Prod	37½	37½	37½	−½
100	Certain-Teed P. 1st pf.	85½	85½	85½	+1½
2,000	Cerro de Pasco Copper	34¼	33	33⅞	+½
600	Chandler Motor	104	102⅝	102⅝	−3⅝
4,800	Chesapeake & Ohio	56¼	54½	55	−1
500	Chicago & Alton	7⅝	7½	7½	−½
100	Chicago & Alton pf.	12	12	12	−1⅞
2,200	Chicago Great Western	8¾	7¾	8	..
1,700	Chicago Great West. pf.	24⅝	23¾	24¼	−¼
40,600	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	42	38	39¼	−2⅝
17,330	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul pf.	75⅝	70	71⅝	−4¼
10,900	Chi. & Northwestern	98½	94⅝	95⅝	−3⅝
8,700	Chi., Rock Isl. & Pac.	25¾	25	25⅝	−½
2,000	Chi., R. I. & P. 7% pf.	80	78½	80	+1
3,500	Chi., R. I. & P. 6% pf.	66	62¾	66	+¼
200	Chi., St. P., Minn. & O.	77	76	76	−4½
20,600	Chile Copper	19	17¾	18	−⅞
21,000	Chino Copper	33½	31⅜	32	−1
2,600	Colorado Fuel & Iron	38½	36¼	36¾	−2⅛
100	Colorado Southern	21	21	21	−1
6	Colorado Southern 1st pf	50	50	50	..
6	Colorado Southern 2d pf.	46	46	46	..
15,500	Columbia Gas & Elec.	44¼	38½	44¼	+5¾
12,950	Consolidation Gas	97½	94	96½	−⅞
600	Con. Interstate Cal. Min.	8⅞	8½	8⅞	−½
3,850	Continental Can	69½	67½	69⅛	−½
550	Continental Insurance	60	59	59	−⅝
28,450	Corn Products Refining	48¾	46	48¼	+1⅛
400	Corn Products Ref. pf.	103¼	102¼	103¼	+⅝
13,850	Crucible Steel	57⅛	56	57⅛	−⅝
300	Crucible Steel pf.	89	88¼	88½	+1½
18,200	Cuba Cane Sugar	30⅝	28⅝	29	−1⅛
2,900	Cuba Cane Sugar pf.	79¾	78½	79	−⅛
400	DEERE & CO. pf.	95¼	95¼	95¼	..
4,000	Delaware & Hudson	105½	100	102⅛	−3⅛
800	Delaware, Lack. & West.	180	179½	180	+4
1,200	Denver & Rio Grande	5½	3½	3⅝	−1⅛
23,000	Denver & Rio Grande pf	7½	5	6⅞	−1½
16,100	Distillers' Securities	51½	49	51¾	+½
4,000	Dome Mines	12½	11⅞	12	−⅜
24,300	ERIE	17½	16½	17	−⅝
8,900	Erie 1st pf.	29½	27½	28	−1⅝
100	FED. MIN. & SMELT.	10	10	10	−2
800	Fed. Min. & Smelt. pf.	38	37	37⅜	−2¼
7,300	GASTON, W. & W.	30	29	29¼	−½
1,600	General Cigar	46	45⅝	45⅝	−½
3,500	General Electric	147½	142½	147½	+½
6,500	General Motors	131¾	128	130	+⅞
1,700	General Motors pf.	81⅜	80	80	−2½
7,500	Goodrich (B. F.) Co.	56	53¼	56	+½
300	Goodrich pf.	100½	100	100	−2¼
1,300	Granby Consol.	81	78¼	78¼	−2⅝
24,600	Great Northern pf.	96½	93½	94⅛	−1⅞
10,669	Great N. ctfs. for ore p.	32½	31½	31⅞	−⅝
2,300	Greene-Cananea Cop.	45⅝	44¾	45	−½
1,300	Gulf States Steel	62¼	59	61⅝	+2⅝
100	Gulf States Steel 1st pf.	95	95	95	−½
100	Gulf, Mobile & Northern	8	8	8	−⅝
100	Gulf, Mobile & Nor. pf.	33½	33½	33½	−½
1,000	HARTMAN CORP.	54¾	54	54¾	+⅝
300	Haskell & Barker	45	45	45	−½
1,500	ILLINOIS CENTRAL	98	95¼	95⅞	−1⅛
65,400	Inspiration Copper	47	41½	47	+2
31,740	Interborough Con.	6	4⅞	5¼	−⅞
18,700	Interborough Con. pf.	23½	18½	19½	−4½
400	Internat. Agricultural	12½	11½	11½	−2⅝
2,200	Internat. Agricul. pf.	50⅝	49⅞	49⅞	−1½
1,700	Internat. Harv., new	111⅝	109⅞	*111⅝	−⅞
800	Internat. Harv. pf., new	114½	114	114	..
13,200	Internat. Mer. Mar.	27⅞	25¼	26	−¼
78,150	Internat. M. M. pf.	114¾	109½	112	+1⅞
13,100	Internat. Nickel	32⅝	31⅝	32	−⅜
100	Internat. Nickel pf.	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	−⅛
5,300	Internat. Paper	31½	29⅝	30⅞	−½
800	Internat. Paper pf. stpd.	62½	62	62½	+⅛
2,900	JEWEL TEA	31	28	28	−4
400	Jewel Tea pf.	88	88	88	−4¼
1,200	KAN. CITY SOUTH.	19	18⅛	18¼	−1
400	Kan. City South. pf.	54	53	53	−1¼
1,500	Kelly Springfield Tire	70½	67½	69	−1¼
200	Kelly Springfield Tire pf	90½	90	90	..
200	Kelsey Wheel	29¾	27½	29¾	+1⅝
41,100	Kennecott Copper	34½	32½	32⅞	−1⅛
100	Kresge (S. S.) Co.	105	105	105	..
100	Kresge (S. S.) Co. pf.	105	105	105	..
100	Kress (S. H.) Co. pf.	103	103	103	−⅝
5,800	LACK. STEEL	67⅝	66½	66¾	−¾
300	Laclede Gas	84	83	83	−3
500	Lake Erie & Western	8⅝	7⅝	7⅝	−2⅞
200	Lake Erie & West. pf.	20	18	18	−2½
1,100	Lee Rubber & Tire	22¾	21¾	22¼	−⅜
30,600	Lehigh Valley	56¼	53⅜	54	−2⅛
500	Liggett & Myers	210	205	210	+5½
220	Liggett & Myers pf.	106	106	106	−½
700	Loose-Wiles Biscuit	45	44	44⅝	+1⅝
200	Loose-Wiles Bis. 2d pf.	96	96	96	+1
420	Lorillard (P.) Co.	153	150	153	−1
300	Lorillard (P.) Co. pf.	106	104½	104½	−5½
1,700	Louisville & Nashville	118¾	118	118	−1
230	MACKAY Cos. pf.	64½	64	64	..
4,900	Manhattan Elevated	89½	78½	84½	−5⅞
100	Marlin Rockwell	81½	81½	81½	−1½
2,300	Maxwell Motors	28⅝	27½	28	−⅝
4,510	Maxwell Motors 1st pf.	51⅞	50	50⅞	−1
4,300	Maxwell Motors 2d pf.	21	19½	19¾	−1⅜
600	May Department Stores	60¼	59	60¼	−¾
200	May Dept. Stores pf.	100	100	100	−4
56,500	Mexican Petroleum	169¼	165½	168⅞	+1¼
10,500	Miami Copper	23½	22¾	23⅛	−⅝
34,600	Midvale Steel	44½	42¼	43	−1½
2,376	Minn. & St. Louis, new	11½	10½	11	−2
1,000	Minn., St. P. & S. S. M.	90½	90	90½	−4¾
100	M., St. P. & S. S. M. pf.	108	108	108	−5
3,600	Mo., Kan. & Texas	5½	5	5	−⅜
1,200	Mo., Kan. & Tex. pf.	8⅝	8¼	8¼	−1⅜
15,300	Mo. Pacific	25⅝	24	25⅜	+⅛
2,850	Mo. Pacific pf.	53⅝	51¼	53	..
400	Montana Power	74¾	73	72	−2¾
2,000	NATIONAL ACME	29	28½	28½	−⅜
200	Nat. Biscuit	108½	108	108	−1½
6,200	Nat. Cond. & Cable	16½	14¾	15⅝	−⅞
3,000	Nat. Enam. & Stamp	48½	45	48½	+3
120	Nat. Enam. & Stamp. pf	90¼	90¼	90¼	−¾
1,600	Nat. Lead	65	62⅞	62⅞	−1½
200	Nat. Lead pf.	105	104½	104½	−⅝
5,600	Nevada Con. Copper	17½	16⅝	16⅞	−⅝
1,300	New Orl., Tex. & Mex.	32	30	31	−1
2,800	N. Y. Air Brake	102¼	98⅛	99	−3¾
23,175	N. Y. Central	75⅞	73⅞	74½	−1½
200	N. Y., Chi. & St. Louis	28⅝	28	28⅝	−2⅛
100	N. Y., C & St. L. 2d pf.	44¾	44¾	44¾	−½
1,600	N. Y. Dock	26½	25¾	26	..
300	N. Y. Dock pf.	48½	46	46	−3
33,150	N. Y., N. H. & H.	32⅝	30⅛	31½	−⅝
2,800	N. Y., Ont. & West.	21⅞	20½	20½	−½
500	Norfolk Southern	19	18	19	−½
5,200	Norfolk & Western	108⅝	104½	108⅝	+2⅝
300	Norfolk & West. pf.	72½	72½	72½	−1⅛
800	Norfolk & West. rights	⅞	⅜	⅝	..
1,000	North American	51⅛	47⅝	47⅝	−4½
18,500	Northern Pacific	94¾	93	93⅝	−1½
1,500	Nova Scotia Steel & C.	55	54	54	−1½
8,060	OHIO CITIES GAS	44	42¼	43¾	+⅜
1,800	Ontario Mining	7½	7½	7½	+½
2,100	Owens Bottle Machine	47	44⅝	44⅝	−2⅞
1,400	PACIFIC MAIL	39	38	38	−1
7,200	Pan Am. Pet. & T.	66¾	64½	66	−¼
100	Pan Am Pet. & T. pf.	115	115	115	..
47,788	Pennsylvania Railroad	45½	43⅝	45¼	−¼
4,200	People's Gas, Chicago	50⅛	48¼	48⅝	−1½
100	Peoria & Eastern	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	−⅝
4,700	Pere Marquette	14	12⅝	13	−1
100	Pere Marq. prior pf.	59	59	59	+½
200	Pere Marq. pf.	44	44	44	+½
1,700	Philadelphia Co.	31¼	29¼	30	−⅜
19,900	Pierce-Arrow	43⅞	39⅜	43	+1⅜
200	Pierce-Arrow pf.	101¾	101¾	101¾	+¼
2,530	Pierce Oil	16	15⅜	15⅞	−½
1,000	Pittsburgh Coal	47	46	47	−½
100	Pittsburgh Coal pf.	85½	85½	85½	−⅝
750	Pittsburgh Steel pf.	90⅞	90	90⅞	−1½
14,400	Pitts. & West Va.	37½	34½	37½	+2½
500	Pitts. & West Va. pf.	80½	80	80	+1
1,200	Pressed Steel Car	63½	62	62⅞	−1
2,400	Pullman Co.	117½	114½	115	−2½
2,800	RAILWAY STEEL SPG	75	72	74½	+1⅝
220	Railway Steel Spg. pf.	103½	103	103½	+½
12,500	Ray Consol. Copper	20½	19¾	20	−⅜
66,300	Reading	82	78½	80⅝	−⅝
200	Reading 2d pf.	38¼	38	*38	−½
8,250	Republic Iron & Steel	74⅞	73	74¾	−½
1,100	Republic Iron & Steel pf	97	96⅞	97	−½
3,600	Royal Dutch. tr. rcts.	104	101	103½	−1
4,100	ST. LOUIS-SAN FRAN.	14½	12¾	13½	−1⅛
100	St. Louis Southwestern	19	19	19	−½
455	Savage Arms	58	57½	57½	−4½
2,400	Saxon Motor	8¾	7	7½	−1½
1,500	Seaboard Air Line	9	8½	8½	−⅜
400	Seaboard Air Line pf.	19¼	18½	18½	−⅛
1,400	Sears, Roebuck & Co.	175	167¾	175	+7
2,000	Shattuck-Arizona	15	14	14	−1
74,000	Sinclair Oil Refining	33⅞	31½	33¼	..
700	Sloss-Sheffield Steel & I.	50	49	50	+1
77,800	Southern Pacific	102	98	102	+3⅝
17,200	Southern Railway	29⅞	28¼	29⅞	+½
1,000	Southern Railway pf.	69½	68	68½	−½
67,900	Studebaker Co.	52⅜	48½	50⅝	−⅝
1,200	Stutz Motor	52⅝	49	49⅝	−2⅜
800	Superior Steel	36½	35	36½	+1½
5,500	TENN. COP. & CHEM.	14½	12¾	12⅞	−1⅛
5,400	Texas Co.	190	186	190	+2
12,625	Texas Co. rights	15⅝	14½	15¼	+⅛
9,300	Texas & Pacific	28½	24	28½	+3
2,200	Third Avenue	14½	12½	14½	+⅝
10,700	Tobacco Products	81⅝	80¼	81½	−½
1,800	Tobacco Co. pf.	103	100½	103	+2
700	Transue & Williams	39¾	38½	38½	−2
610	Twin City Rap. Tran.	47	40	40	−8
10	UNDERWOOD TYPE. pf	115	115	115	..
300	Union Bag & Paper	76	74	76	+1
23,800	Union Pacific	129	125½	129	+1½
4,400	Union Pacific pf.	72½	69¾	71¼	−½
2,600	United Alloy Steel	39¼	38	39¼	−1
6,700	United Cigar Stores	108¾	106	108½	+2½
300	United Drug	90	88	90	+5
3,600	United Fruit	163	152	163	+12
1,000	United Rys. Investment	8½	7¼	7¼	−1
650	United Rys. Invest. pf.	15½	15½	15½	−⅛
100	U. S. Cast Iron P. & F.	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	−½
100	U. S. Cast I. P. & F. pf.	44½	44½	44½	−2⅝
100	U. S. Express	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	+⅛
4,800	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	102¼	100½	102	−1
11,500	U. S. Rubber	79½	75⅝	78¼	+1
375	U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	109⅞	109¾	109⅞	+⅝
3,400	U. S. Smelt., Ref. & M.	47	44	45	−1
100	U. S. Smelt., R. & M. pf	47¼	47¼	47¼	−⅝
581,860	U. S. Steel	96½	92½	94⅝	−1⅝
3,600	U. S. Steel pf.	113	111⅞	111⅞	−⅝
27,800	Utah Copper	74¼	71½	72½	−2
1,600	Utah Securities	13	12⅝	13	−⅛
3,200	VA.-CARO. CHEM.	53¾	52	52	−2½
20	Va.-Caro. Chem. pf.	113¾	112½	112½	−1½
300	Va. Iron, Coal & Coke	56	56	56	..
125	Vulcan Detinning	10½	10½	10½	+1½
25	Vulcan Detinning pf.	42	42	42	..
5,300	WABASH	9	8	8¼	−⅜
19,000	Wabash pf. A	35¼	31½	32¾	−3
10,100	Wabash pf. B	21½	19½	20	−1⅜
400	Wells-Fargo Express	69	68	68½	−3
16,630	Western Maryland	12¾	10	11¼	−1¼
100	Western Maryland 2d pf	24	24	24	−6
700	Western Pacific	20⅞	20	20	−1
2,600	Western Union Tel.	86½	84¾	85¼	−⅜
12,000	Westinghouse E. & M.	43⅞	42⅞	43⅜	−½
1,900	Wheeling & Lake Erie	9	8½	8½	−½
600	Wheeling & Lake Erie pf	18¼	17¾	17¾	−⅝
2,200	White Motors	45½	44	44½	+½
5,900	Wilson & Co.	74½	69½	73½	+1
14,500	Willys-Overland	25½	24½	25	−½
905	Willys-Overland pf.	88¾	88¼	88⅛	−⅝
1,800	Wisconsin Central	31	29⅞	30	−4
1,500	Woolworth (F. W.) Co.	127	121	127	+6¾
665	Worthington Pump	55	53	53	−1½
400	Worth. Pump pf. B	67	66	66¾	+½

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260,000	City of Des Moines, Iowa	5	1929-36	4.40
17,000	City of Sioux City, Iowa	4¾	1938	4.40
50,000	State of Mississippi	4¼	1921-23	4.50
28,000	City of Superior, Wis.	5	1919-28	4.50
10,000	City of Dubuque, Iowa	4	1921	4.50
500,000	Sch'l Dist. of Des Moines, Ia.	5	1921-38	4.50
15,000	State of Louisiana P't Com.	5	1949	4.70
20,000	Cascade County, Mont.	5	1921-27	4.70
172,000	Spartanburg County, S. C.	4½	1923-27	4.70
30,000	Boro. of Bound Brook, N.J.	5¼	1923	4.70
25,000	City of Memphis, Tenn.	4½	1921-22	4.75
37,000	City of Portsmouth, Va.	6	1928	4.80
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REFERS TO FEDERAL LAW

Authority for Large Up-State Institutions to Operate Branch Offices Advocated.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Dec. 29.—George I. Skinner, State Superintendent of Banks, in his forthcoming annual report to the Legislature will urge a number of amendments to the State banking laws, among them being one to give New York State banks trust powers under certain restrictions, as well as to allow certain of the large up-State banks to operate branch offices. The report says:

"Prior to this year the Federal Reserve act was amended so as to permit the Federal Reserve Board to authorize national banks applying therefor to exercise certain powers of trust companies when not in contravention of State or local law. It has now been amended so as to authorize the Federal Reserve Board to grant by special permit to national banks applying therefor, when not in contravention of State or local law, the right to act as trustee, executor, administrator, registrar of stocks and bonds, guardian of estates, assignee, receiver, committee of estates of lunatics, or in any other fiduciary capacity in which State banks, trust companies, or other corporations which come into competition with national banks are permitted to act under the laws of the State in which the national bank is located.

"It seems strange as well as inconsistent with any theory of State rights that, in order to protect national banks from competition or to enable them to compete with State institutions, it should be considered proper to take from the States the right to determine the qualifications of executors, administrators and trustees, or to provide that, when the exercise of such powers by national banks is expressly in contravention of State laws, it shall not be deemed in contravention of such laws if any competing institutions are permitted to exercise them.

Favors Equal Powers.

"It is, I think, apparent that, if national banks are to exercise the powers specified, the same powers should be conferred upon State banks under substantially the same conditions, and the Superintendent of Banks should also be authorized to perform such duties in connection with the receipt of deposits from national banks and to make such examinations of their trust departments as may be necessary under that enactment in order to carry it into effect. He has no authority to accept such deposits or make such examinations under the present banking law and any refusal on his part based upon lack of authority would seem like a puerile attempt to nullify the Federal statute.

"On the other hand, the trust companies of the State have built up a great reputation, not only on account of the safeguards that have been thrown about their investment of trust funds and the fact that but four such companies have occasioned any loss to depositors in forty-four years, but on account of the care which has been exercised by the various Superintendents of Banks in authorizing such corporations to engage in business. It has been the general policy of the department not to authorize trust companies in small places where there was neither occasion nor opportunity for the exercise of trust powers to any considerable extent.

"As a result of this policy there are only ninety-nine trust companies in the State, although they have aggregate reported resources of $3,221,371,800, and every Superintendent of Banks in recent years has been compelled to refuse authorization to proposed trust companies in cases where it was evident that there was no real intention to exercise the powers of such a company, but solely a desire to obtain the use of the name for advertising purposes. I think, therefore, that the banking law should be so amended, both for the protection of the trust companies and the people of the State, as to prevent the use of the title 'trust company' by any corporation which has not been organized as a trust company under the laws of the State.

Loans to Directors.

"It is, moreover, only just that trust companies be able to make loans to their Directors from their ordinary funds upon the same terms and under the same conditions as banks.

"The reserves required by the Federal Reserve act at the present time are in effect quite as onerous as those applicable to State institutions which are not members of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. In order, however, to enable a member bank to ascertain whether it is complying with both the State banking law and the Federal Reserve act, two computations are necessary, and I therefore recommend the adoption of an amendment to the banking law which will relieve banks and trust companies which are members of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York from the provisions of that statute, provided they comply with the provisions of the Federal Reserve act.

"I believe that it is desirable to give savings banks the power to borrow money, with the approval of the Superintendent of Banks, for the purpose of purchasing bonds of the United States.

"The provisions of the Banking Law which authorize trust companies to open and maintain branch offices in the cities or villages of the State in which they may be located, under specified conditions, seem to me rather liberal, and I should favor greater, rather than less, restrictions in this respect. I believe, however, that banks should be authorized to open and maintain branches in cities of the first and second class under the same conditions as trust companies. Banks now have this right in New York City, and there does not seem to be any reason why they should not have this privilege to the same extent as trust companies in cities like Buffalo, Rochester, and Syracuse."

Adopts Wage Scale for Radio Men.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The Shipping Board has adopted the following scale of wages for wireless operators on vessels operating from Atlantic and Gulf ports, effective Jan. 1: All chief operators, $110; all assistant operators, $85. There are to be no transatlantic or coastwise bonuses, and no sliding scales.

German Austria's Loan Successful.

ZURICH, Dec. 29.—According to the Vienna Neue Freie Presse, German Austria's first loan has been highly successful. The subscriptions will close Dec. 31. Nearly 600,000,000 crowns had been subscribed by Dec. 24. This was more than 100,000,000 crowns over the total asked for.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

WEEK ENDED DEC. 28, 1918.

	Last Week.	Year to Date.
Total sales	$108,097,000	$2,020,511,500
Same period last year	27,635,000	1,046,301,950

	Last Week. High.	Last Week. Low.	Year to Date. High.	Year to Date. Low.
Average price 40 bonds.	79.66	78.95	82.36	75.65
Same period a year ago.	76.06	74.56	89.48	74.24

Range, 1918 High	Low	Sales		High	Low	Last	Net Ch'ge
39	18	3	ALAS. G.M.6s,Ser.A	33	33	33	..
36	18	14	Alas. G. M.6s,Ser.B.	32	31	31	−1
106	97	5	Am. Ag. Ch. deb. 5s.	101¾	101½	101¾	−1⅛
89⅞	80	1	Am. Cot Oil 5s....	87½	87½	87½	+½
104	98¼	1	Am. Hide & L. 6s..	99½	99½	99½	−⅛
93	83¾	12	Am. S. & R. 1st 5s..	92½	92½	92½	+⅛
88	77	9	Am. T. & T. col. 4s.	85½	85⅝	85⅝	+¼
105	93	223	Am. T. & T. cv. 6s..	102⅛	101¾	102	+⅝
97½	86	57	Am. T. & T.col.tr.5s.	95¼	93	93½	−2
92	82	20	Am. T. & T. cv.4½s.	89	87	87	−4¾
59	51½	1	Ann Arbor 4s......	57	57	57	−1
89½	70	4	Am. Wr. Paper 5s.	88½	88½	88½	+¼
89	81½	26	Armour & Co. 4½s..	87⅝	86	86½	−1¼
90	79	125	A., T. & S. F. g. 4s.	84½	83½	84	−1¼
82½	70	2	A., T. & S.F. a. 4s,s.	80½	80½	80½	+¾
87	71½	15	A., T. & S.F. 4s, '55.	76	76	76	+¾
85½	79	5	A., T. & S. F., Cal. & A. 4½s...........	85¼	85¼	85¼	−¼
81½	69¼	12	At. C. L., L. & N. col. 4s...........	80	79¾	80	..
89¼	77	25	At. Coast L. 1st 4s..	85	84½	84½	+½
86½	74	15	At. C. L. unif. 4½s.	86	85¼	85¼	+½
97	91	6	At. & C. A. L. 1st 5s	96⅞	96½	96½	−½
87	73¼	16	BALT. & O. g. 4s..	81½	80	80½	−½
92¾	75⅞	8	Balt. & Ohio ref. 5s.	86	82⅞	82⅞	−3⅛
92¾	85¾	4	B. & O. pr. lien 3½s	89¼	89	89	−⅞
87½	75⅝	35	B. & O. conv. 4½s..	79¾	77½	77½	−4
88½	80	25	B. & O.,S.W.Div.3½s	86¼	86¼	86¼	−1¼
83	72	7	B. & O., P., L. E. & West Va. 4s....	78⅛	75	78⅛	+¾
86¼	86¼	1	Beech Creek 4s.....	86¼	86¼	86¼	−0⅞
96	92	5	Beth. Steel ext. 5s..	95¼	95½	95½	+¼
87½	78½	61	Beth. S. pur. mon. 5s	84	83	83	−2
93½	86	13	Beth. Steel ref. 5s..	88	87½	87½	−1
96¼	89⅛	9	Braden Copper 6s..	96	96	96	..
85	76¼	2	B'way & 7th Av. 5s.	79	79	79	..
96⅝	86½	226½	B. R. T. 7s, 1921...	89¼	86½	87	−2
69	50	27	B. R. T. ref. cv. 4s.	58	50	50	−15
96	95½	10	B., C.R.& N.col.tr.5s.	96	96	96	+2
97¼	93	7	CENT. LEATHER 5s	97	97	97	..
84½	80	3	Cent. Foundry 6s...	80	80	80	−2
94⅝	85	14	Cent. of Ga. con. 5s.	94⅝	94⅛	94⅝	+⅝
86	75	47	Central Pacific 4s...	83¾	82	83	−¾
88	85	5	Central Pacific 3½s.	85¾	85¾	85¾	..
101⅜	94	3	Ches. & O. cons. 5s.	99¾	99¾	99¾	..
90⅝	76	83	Ches. & O. cv. 5s..	88	87	87¾	+⅝
85½	67¼	46	Ches. & O. cv. 4½s.	80¼	79½	80	−⅛
85½	72	11	Ches. & O. gen. 4½s.	79¼	78¼	79½	−1¾
47½	35¼	67	Chi. & Alton 3½s..	39¾	38	38	−1¾
96½	92	781	C., B. & Q. joint 4s.	95⅝	95½	95½	..
88½	80	10	C.,B.&Q. Ill. Div.4s	86¼	86¼	86¼	−1
79½	71½	10	C.,B.&Q., Ill.Div.3½s	77½	77½	77½	−2
95¾	89⅞	6	C.,B.&Q., Neb.Ext.4s	93¾	93¼	93¼	−¾
101	98	3	Chi. & Ill. con. 6s...	100	100	100	..
69	54	81	Chi. Gt. W. 1st 4s..	62½	60¼	61½	..
94	75	48	C.,M.&St.P.cv.5s,B..	84⅝	81	81	..
81	66⅛	6	C.,M.&St.P.4s,'34....	76	76	76	−5
88½	76½	15	C., M. & St. P. 4s,'25	84	81¾	81¾	−2¾
84	64¾	156	C.,M.& St.P.ref.4½s.	75	72	72	−3
89	71¼	57	C.,M.& St.P.cv.4½s...	80⅝	79	79½	−1¼
97⅝	97	2	C., M. & St. P., C. & L. sup. 5s.........	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝	+⅝
100	95	1	C., M. & St. P., W. & M. 5s...........	98½	98½	98½	+½
98	95	11	C. & N. W. deb.5s,'21	98	98	98	+⅝
88	81⅞	11	C. & N. W. gen. 4s.	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞	−5¼
75	67½	2	C. & N. W. gen. 3½s	72	72	72	−3
98	92¼	3	C. & N. W. deb.5s,'33	98	98	98	+5⅞
103	99½	3	C. & N. W. gen. 5s.	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	..
88	80½	15	Chi. Railways 5s....	88½	81	81	−4½
80¼	62½	40	C., R. I. & P. ref. 4s	75⅝	75	75¼	+½
84½	72	4	C., R. I. & P. gen. 4s	80	79¼	79¼	−¾
91	85	4	Chi. Un. Sta. 4½s...	89	86	89	−½
70	62	24	Chi. & W. Ind. 4s....	64	62	62	−2
118½	102½	77	Chile Copper 7s.....	109¼	106	106	−3½
89⅛	77	18	Chile Cop. col. tr. 6s	84¾	83¼	83¼	−⅞
89½	73	42	Chile Copper cv. 6s..	84	83	83	−2
91	85	12	Cleve. Sh. L. 4½s...	91	90	90	..
86¾	86	1	Col. Fuel & I. gen.5s	86¾	86¾	86¾	+¾
82¾	63	1	Col. & So. ref. 4½s..	79	79	79	−¾
85	78½	6	Comp. Tab. Rec. 6s.	84	83	83	−2
93	99	84	Con. Gas cv. 6s.....	102	101	102	−2¾
101	95	2	Corn P. ref.s.f.5s,'34.	101	101	101	+1½
88⅝	79	10	DEL. & H.1st&ref.4s	86	84⅝	85½	−¼
97⅝	86	109	Del. & Hud. cv. 5s..	96	95½	96	−1
80	68	1	Den.& R.G. cons.4½s	77	77	77	..
77	63	8	Den. & R. G. con. 4s.	73	72	72	−1¾
98	89⅞	3	Det. Ed. col. tr. 5s.	94½	94½	94½	+3½
94¼	91½	1	Det. Ed. ref. 5s...	94½	94½	94½	+1
89½	75	1	Dist. Secur. 5s......	89½	89½	89½	..
79	65	9	ERIE 1st con. 4s...	72	71½	71½	−½
64½	49½	7½	Erie gen. 4s........	56¼	53	54	−4¼
58	42	64	Erie cv. 4s, Ser. A..	50	47	47	−4
59	42½	42	Erie cv. 4s, Ser. B..	50½	46½	47½	−2⅞
62	48½	88	Erie cv. 4s, Ser. D..	54	50	52½	−1¼
83	81	81	FLA. E. Coast 4½s.	88	82¾	82¾	+¼
83	75	5	Gen'l Baking 6s....	83	83	83	+3
101⅞	94¾	6	Gen. El. deb. 5s....	101¾	99½	101¾	+1⅝
100	91	1	Granby con. cv. 6s..	98	98	98	−2
92½	85	25	Gt. North. ref. 4¼s.	89	89	89	−2¾
9⅛	7	1	Green Bay deb. B..	8¾	8¾	8¾	..
86	74	6	HOCK. VAL. 4½s...	84	83	83	−2½
69⅝	48⅞	98	Hud. & M. n. ref. 5s.	59¼	57¼	57¼	−2¼
25	14¼	45	H. & N. n. adj. 5s..	17⅞	16¼	17	−½
82	71⅛	9	ILL. CENT. 4s, '53..	80	79	84	..
96	85⅛	14	Ill. C. & G., St. L. & N. O. Jt. 4s.......	94½	94	94	−½
99	92	21	Indiana Steel 5s....	97¼	97	97¼	−1¼
86½	81	22	Illinois Steel 4½s..	83¼	81	83	−½
58⅝	38½	903	Inter.-Met. 4½s.....	44¼	38½	41½	−2⅝
85	71	1258	Int. Rap. Tran. 5s..	76¼	71	71½	−4⅝
77½	75⅞	7	Int. Agricul. 5s.....	76⅞	76⅝	76⅝	−⅛
104⅞	96	119	Int. Mer. Mar. 6s...	103	101	101	−½
83½	75¾	2	Iowa Cent. 1st 5s...	80	80	80	−1¾
52	40¼	8	Iowa Cent. ref. 4s...	46	45	45	..
108	99⅝	1	K. C., FT.S. & M.6s.	101½	101½	101½	−¼
91½	73¾	13	Kan. City So. 5s....	85	84¼	85	+1
65	58	1	Kan. City So. 3s....	63	63	63	..
83½	71½	14	Kan. City Ter. 4s..	81	80	81	+¾
68½	68½	4	Kings Co. El. 4s,sta.	68½	68½	68½	..
97	94¼	3	LACK. STL. 5s, '23.	96½	96½	96¾	+⅛
96½	86	4	Lack. Steel 5s, '50..	87	86½	86½	−⅛
92¼	82	13	Lake Shore 4s, '28.	90	88⅝	90	−¼
89½	89½	15	L. Shore 4s, 28, reg.	89½	89½	89½	−5¾
92½	81¾	14	Lake Shore 4s, '31..	89	88	89	+¼
94⅝	88⅞	5	Laclede Gas ref. 5s.	94¼	94	94	..
81⅞	74	4	Leh. V. Pa. cons. 4s.	80½	80¼	80⅝	+½
103¾	97¾	52	L. V. col. 6s, t. ctfs.	102¾	102	102	−¾
103	96	1	Leh. Val. Term. 5s..	103	103	103	+3
101	96¾	1	Lehigh V. Coal 5s..	99¾	99¾	99¾	−¼
117	108	20	Liggett & Myers 7s..	111¾	111	111	−¼
84	72¼	4	Long Island ref. 4s.	77¼	77¼	77¼	−1¾
78½	70	1	Long Isl. deb. 5s, '37	76⅝	76⅝	76⅝	−⅞
96	83	5	Lorillard 5s........	93	93	93	..
111	108	1	Louis. & N. gen. 6s.	108	108	108	−3
81⅛	73¼	5	MAN. CON. 4s......	75	75	75	−3½
91	85¼	3	Mich. State Tel. 5s..	88¼	88	88¼	−2½
98	86¼	56	Midvale Steel 5s....	88½	87⅝	87⅝	−⅝
53½	40	1	M.& St.L.1st & ref.4s	47	47	47	−⅛
90	80	5	M.,S.P.&S.S.M.con.4s	88½	88½	88½	−¼
74	66½	22	M., K. & T. 1st 4s..	68	67	67	−1½
37	25	21	M.,K. & T. 2d 4s,t.r.	32	28⅝	28⅝	−6¼
67¼	55⅛	65	Mo. Pacific gen. 4s..	63¼	62⅝	63	−⅛
95½	89⅞	1	Mo. Pacific 5s, 1923.	95½	95½	95½	..
92¾	85½	13	Montana Power 5s..	92¾	92	92¾	+¾
65½	55	1	NASSAU EL. 4s....	61	61	61	−1
97½	93	1	Nat. Tube 5s......	95½	95½	95½	−¾
97½	92	17	N. O., T. & M. 6s..	97	96	96	−1
57½	40	79	N.O., T. & M. inc.5s	55	52	53	+1
106	93¾	5	N. Y. Airb. cv. 6s..	100	99¾	100	..
103½	91¼	412	N. Y. Cent. deb. 6s.	99½	97⅝	98	−1⅞
87⅝	77	18	N. Y. Cent. ref. 4½s.	84	84	84	−¼
76	69	15	N. Y. Cent. gen. 3½s	71¼	71	71	−2
89½	74¾	3	N.Y. Cent. deb.4s,'34	86	86	86	..
74½	61	2	N.Y.,C. & St.L.deb.4s	71½	71½	71½	−⅝
87½	75½	1	N.Y., C. & St.L.1st 4s	82	82	82	..
61	55	1	N. Y., N. H. & H. cv. 4s, 1956........	59½	59½	59½	−⅝
73	63½	7	N.Y.,O.& W. ref. 4s.	71	70	70	−1
54	38¼	117	N. Y. Rys. ref. 4s...	43	38¼	43	+1
24½	11	367	N. Y. Rys. adj. 4s..	12¼	11	11⅛	−1⅝
81	74	3	N.Y., S & W. ref. 5s	80	80	80	..
92	84	18	N. Y. Telephone 4½s	90¾	90⅛	90⅛	−⅞
65½	45	4	N. Y., W. & B. 4½s.	54⅞	53½	53½	−1½
69¼	67	11	N. & So. 1st ref. 5s.	67½	67	67½	−2
108⅝	106⅝	26	Norf. & W.cv.6s,w.i.	106¾	106¼	106½	+¼
89½	79	13	Norf. & W. con. 4s.	84⅝	84	84	−2
90¾	82⅞	3	Nor. Pac. ref. 4½s..	89⅞	89½	89½	−1
89½	79⅝	34	Northern Pacific 4s.	85	83⅞	84	−2
64¼	56⅝	3	Northern Pacific 3s.	61	60¼	60¼	−⅞
91½	83	23	Nor States Power 1st & ref. 5s......	91	90½	90⅞	+⅝
104	99⅞	1	ORE. SH. L. 1st 6s.	101½	101½	101½	−2⅛
90½	80⅞	28	Ore. Sh. L. ref. 4s..	87	85¾	85¾	+¼
80½	70	27	Ore.-Wash. 1st 4s...	79	78	79	+½
88	77	158	PAC. GAS & E. 5s..	87⅝	87½	87⅝	..
97⅝	87	22	Pac. T. & T. 5s.....	95⅝	94½	94½	−1
78	74¼	1	Penn. gtd.3½s,Ser.B.	76½	76½	76½	−1⅛
96⅞	85⅞	38	Penn. gen. 4½s......	90½	89⅝	89⅝	−1¾
98⅝	96¼	11	Penn. gtd. 4½s......	97⅝	97¼	97⅝	−⅝
62	46	17	Peo. & East. 1st 4s.	58	58	58	..
90	79	26	Pere Marq. 1st 5s..	87½	87¼	87½	−1
87⅝	87⅝	2	Phila., B. & W. 4s..	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝	−4¾
92	78	5	Phila. Co. cv. 5s, '22	91¾	91¾	91¾	−¼
90½	83	16	Pierce Oil cv. 6s,'24.	89	88⅞	89	+½
95	91½	5	P., C. C. & St. L. 4½s, Ser. A......	92½	92½	92½	−1
86	73½	32	Public Service 5s...	80	79½	80	−½
91½	80¾	107	READING gen. 4s..	85½	84½	84⅞	−2⅛
88	81	5	Rdg.-J. C. col. 4s..	86¾	86¾	86¾	..
98½	91	34	Rep. I. & S. 5s, 1940.	93⅝	91	91	..
75	63	14	Rio Gr. W. 1st 4½s	73	72½	72½	..
73	62	8	R. I., A. & L. 4½s..	71	70½	70½	..
61½	50	2	Rio G. W. col. tr. 4s	59	59	59	−2½
81	80	1	ST.L., R. M. & P. 5s.	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛	−⅞
83	72½	2	St. L., I. M. & S. unif. & ref. 4s.....	80½	80½	80½	−1¾
78⅝	66½	5	St. L., I. M. & S., R. & G. 4s......	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	+1⅛
67½	55½	78	St.L. & S.F.pr.lien 4s	63	62¾	62¾	−¼
82⅝	66	40	St.L. & S.F.pr.l.5s,B	79½	78⅝	78⅝	−⅝
76	60	49	St. L. & S. F. adj.6s	66	65	65½	−3½
55	43	93	St. L. & S. F. inc.6s	46	43	44½	−2½
77	63⅞	5	St. L. S. W. 1st 4s..	72¾	72¾	7 ¾	−1¼
68¼	57	1	St. L. S. W. con. 4s.	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞	−⅛
65	52	14	St. L. S. W., term. 1st 5s............	61	60	61	..
95	91¼	1	St. P. M. & M. 4½s.	94¾	94¾	94¾	+3¼
72	59	1	St.P., K.C. S.L. 4½s	71½	71½	71½	+⅝
68¼	54½	2	San An. & A. P. 4s.	67½	67	67	−1¼
66	52	26	S. A. L. ref. 4s.....	58⅝	57	57	−1
61	46½	34	S. A. L., adj. 5s....	54⅝	51⅝	52	−2⅝
96	81½	36	Sinclair Oil 7s......	96	95¾	96	+¼
100	80	20	Sinc. Oil 7s, with w.	100	99¾	99¾	..
97	86	1	So. Bell Tel. 5s.....	95	95	95	..
109½	81½	76	So. Pac. conv. 5s...	102½	101¼	102	+½
88	75½	380	So. Pac. conv. 4s....	85	81¼	85	+⅝
82	76	10	So. Pac. col. 4s.....	77⅛	77	77⅛	−1⅞
86¼	75⅝	165	So. Pac. ref. 4s....	83¼	82⅝	83⅛	−⅝
100	86⅞	58	Southern Ry. 5s.....	96½	95	95	−1⅝
73	59	148	Southern Ry. gen. 4s	69½	66½	66½	−2⅝
95½	88	3	TENN. COP. cv. 6s.	91	91	91	−3½
87½	85¼	9	Term. of St. L. 4½s	87¼	87½	87¼	+1⅛
103	96¾	1	Texas Co. deb. 6s..	103	103	103	+⅞
59	51½	68	Third Av. ref. 4s...	54½	51¾	52	−3
38⅞	21¼	113	Third Av. adj. 5s...	31½	29	29¼	−½
56½	45	6	T., St. L. & W. 4s..	55	53	53¼	−2½
105	101⅝	46	UNION PAC. 6s....	105	104½	104½	−⅝
91	82¾	23	Union Pacific cv. 4s.	89¼	89	89	−¼
91	84	63	Union Pac. 1st 4s...	87⅞	87	87½	..
87½	75¾	7	Un.Pac. 1st & ref. 4s	83½	83¼	83½	−¼
110	93¾	1	U. S. S. R. & M. 6s	99½	99½	99½	..
50	49	1	Un. Rys. St. L. 4s..	50	50	50	+1
102¾	191	227	U. S. Rubber 7s....	102¾	102⅝	102¾	..
88¼	76	552	U.S.Rub.1st & ref.5s	86¾	85¼	85⅞	−⅝
101	84	143	U. S. Steel 5s......	100	99½	99½	−¼
97¼	90	10	VA.-CAR.CH. 1st 5s.	96	95¾	95¾	−¼
101¼	94¼	19	Va.-Car. Ch. cv. 6s.	101¼	101	101	..
96½	84¼	21	Virginia Ry. 1st 5s.	94	93	93	−1
86⅞	83	3	Va. Iron, C. & C. 5s.	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞	+½
97⅝	90	2	WABASH 1st 5s....	96	96	96	+1
98	91⅞	2	West. Electric 5s....	97	97	97	−⅞
72	57¼	12	Westn. Maryland 4s.	63	57⅛	57⅛	−6¼
90	79¼	6	Western Pacific 5s..	86	85	86	..
70	60	5	W. N. Y. & P.genl.4s	70	70	70	+10
61	60	10	W. & L. E. ref. 4½s	64	64	64	+1
100	90⅞	40	Wilson & Co. 1st 6s.	99	98½	98¾	..
83	69¼	25	Wis. Cent. 4s.......	80	80	80	..
			Total sales				$10,212,000
			GOVERNMENT BONDS				
102.50	97.20	3330	U. S. Liberty 3½s, 1931-1947	99.60	98.22	99.30	+1.10
98.60	92.80	217	U. S. Liberty cv. 4s. 1931-1947	93.20	92.80	92.84	−.16
98.00	92.60	1521	U. S. Liberty 2d 4s. 1927-1942	93.30	92.60	93.00	−.04
99.00	93.80	1270	U. S. Liberty 1st cv. 4¼s, 1932-1947...	97.10	96.30	96.48	−.52
98.60	93.10	23419	U. S. Liberty 2d cv. 4¼s, 1927-1942..	95.00	93.80	94.10	−.30
99.10	94.70	24530	U. S. Liberty 3d 4¼s, 1928	96.00	95.16	95.56	+.12
98.10	94.20	38058	U. S. Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-1938...	95.00	94.20	94.48	−.02
107	105	1	U. S. 4s, reg........	105	105	105	−.58
100	94½	197	Am. For. Secur. 5s..	100	99 1/16	99¾	−1/16
97½	88¼	2268	Anglo-French 5s....	97½	97	97¼	+⅛
89¾	78	3	Argentine 5s.........	89	89	89	..
102	84	192	City of Bordeaux 6s.	101⅝	100⅞	101½	+¾
102½	84	141	City of Lyons 6s....	101⅝	100⅞	101½	+¾
103	84	167	City of Marseilles 6s.	101⅝	100⅞	101½	+¾
99½	81⅝	440½	City of Paris 6s.....	99½	98⅞	99½	+⅝
90	88⅞	118	Dom. of C. 5s, 1931.	97½	97	97½	..
97½	90¾	44	Dom. of C. 5s, 1926.	97½	96⅞	96⅞	−¼
90	93¼	118	Dom. of C. 5s, 1921.	97⅝	97	97	−1
105	94	1134	French Govt. 5½s...	105½	104 1/16	105	+1/16
92¼	86½	1	Japanese 4½s	86½	86½	86½	−½
92⅞	83¼	18	Jap. 4½s, 2d Series German stamp	86½	85½	85½	−½
84	80	10	Rep. of Cuba 4½s...	82	81½	82	−2
100	95¾	485	U. K. of Gt. B. & I. 5½s, 1919	100	99⅝	99⅞	+¼
104½	97½	860	U. K. of Gt. B. & I. 5½s, 1919, new..	101⅝	100 1/16	101¼	+1/16
98⅛	91⅝	321	U. K. of Gt. B. & I. 5½s, 1921	98⅝	98⅛	98¼	−⅛
101⅝	100⅞	81	U. K. of Gt. B. & I. 5½s, 1937........	101⅝	100⅞	101⅝	..
64	40	4½	U. S. of Mex. 5s.....	64	64	64	+2
			Total sales				$97,772,000
			STATE BONDS				
98½	97¼	3	N. Y. State 4s, '62.	98½	98½	98½	+1¼
71	40	20	Va. def. 6s, Br.B.cfs.	70	70	70	..
			NEW YORK CITY BONDS				
94	85	10	4s, 1958	93½	93½	93½	−¼
94	85	3	4s, 1959	93	93	93	..
99¾	87½	46	4½s, 1964	97	96½	96½	−1½
98⅞	87½	10	4¼s, 1966	97½	97½	97½	−¼
98⅞	87¾	10	4¼s, 1960	96½	96½	96½	−1½
103¼	93	1	4½s, 1963	102¼	102¼	102¼	−⅝
103⅝	93¼	19	4½s, 1965	101¾	101	101	−1
			Total sales				$90,000
			Grand total				$108,097,000

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To the Holders of

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Ten Year, Six Per Cent., Series B.

You are hereby notified that all of the Collateral Trust Bonds, Ten Year, Six Per Cent., Series B, of Gas and Electric Securities Company, dated January 1st, 1918, and secured by agreement between Gas and Electric Securities Company and Bankers Trust Company, as Trustee, dated September 1st, 1917, and supplement dated January 1st, 1918, have been called for redemption and payment on February 1st, 1919, and will be redeemed and paid on said date at the office of Bankers Trust Company, 16 Wall Street, New York City, New York, at a price equal to the principal amount thereof, plus a premium of one per centum (1%) of said principal, together with accrued interest on said bonds to said redemption date. A sum sufficient to redeem said bonds at said price has been deposited with Bankers Trust Company, as Trustee, under said agreement and supplement.

On and after February 1st, 1919, said bonds shall cease to draw interest and the coupons annexed thereto shall be null and void.

Proper Federal Income Tax Ownership Certificates covering accrued interest should accompany said bonds when presented for redemption and payment on said redemption date.

Dated, December 27th, 1918.
BANKERS TRUST COMPANY,
By H. F. WILSON, Jr., Vice President.

THE BERKSHIRE ICE COMPANY
6% First Mortgage Sinking Fund Gold Bonds.

Bankers Trust Company, as Trustee under Mortgage dated July 2, 1906, made by the Berkshire Ice Company, hereby gives notice pursuant thereto, that proposals to sell The Berkshire Ice Company 6% First Mortgage Sinking Fund Gold Bonds at prices not exceeding 110 and accrued interest, may be made to said Trustee for account of the Sinking Fund, due January 1, 1919. All such proposals must be in writing, addressed to Bankers Trust Company, Trustee, No. 16 Wall Street, New York City, and must be delivered before 3 P. M. on March 1, 1919.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, Trustee.
By H. F. WILSON, Jr., Vice-President.
Dated at New York, December 9, 1918.

NOTICE.

Certificate of Membership No. 2886, issued by the New York Produce Exchange, November 5, 1908, to Jesse Fuller having been lost or mislaid, application has been made to the Board of Managers for a new certificate. All persons interested are hereby notified to show cause within the next six weeks why such new certificate should not be issued.

New York, Dec. 20, 1918.
L. B. HOWE, Secretary.

New York, December 27, 1918.
CENTRAL UNION GAS COMPANY.

The coupons of the first mortgage 5% Bonds of this company due January 1st, 1919, will be paid at THE NATIONAL CITY BANK, NO. 55 WALL STREET, New York City, on or after January 2, 1919.

PHILIP J. SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.

January Investment Offerings

We own and offer, subject to prior sale and change in price, the following Municipal Bonds. Full descriptive circular on any issue will be forwarded on request. Wires may be used at our expense in ordering. Correspondence invited.

Municipal Bonds

(NOTE.—These Bonds are exempt from all Federal Income Taxes, and individuals owning the same are not required to file certificates of ownership in collecting the coupons, or to report the income therefrom to the Government.)

Amount	State, County, City, etc.	Purpose of Issue	Rate %	Maturity	Yield %
$10,000	Lancaster, Pa.	School District	4	May, 1945	4.05
100,000	Syracuse, N. Y.	(Registered)	4	July, 1920	4.20
15,000	Cambridge, Vt.	Water	4	July, 1942	4.25
45,000	State of Maryland		4	Feb., 1922-25	4.30
50,000	New Rochelle, N. Y.	Improvement	4¼	May, 1922-23	4.35
100,000	New York, N. Y.		4¼	Sept., 1960	4.35
48,000	Swissvale (Boro of), Pa	School District	4.6	Oct., 1925-46	4.35
10,000	Slatington (Boro of), Pa	School District	4½	Aug., 1933-48	4,35
32,000	Amsterdam, N. Y.	Park (Registered)	4½	1925-56	4.35
30,000	Cleveland, Ohio	Various	5	June, 1930-45	4.40
10,000	Ossining, N. Y.	Water (Registered)	5	Oct., 1933-34	4.40
28,000	Cook County, Ill.	Forest Preserve	4	Sept., 1929-32	4.50
125,000	Denver, Colo.	Water	4½	Nov., 1948/28	4.50
300,000	Sioux City, Ia.	School District	5	Jan., 1920-29	4.55
10,000	Kansas City, Kan.	Park	4½	Mar., 1925-31	4.55
43,000	Lakewood, Ohio	Street Improvement	5	Oct., 1924-29	4.60
8,000	Mason City, Iowa	Bridge	5	Sept., 1922-25	4.60
33,000	Clay County, Iowa	Funding	5	Sept., 1923-31	4.60
19,000	Chicago River Park Dist., Ill.	Park	4½	July, 1931-37	4.60
40,000	Lake County, Ohio	Road	5	1923-27	4.60
48,000	Burlington, Iowa	Funding	4½	Nov., 1928-30	4.60
15,000	Davidson County, Tenn.	Bridge	4½	Aug., 1937/31	4.60
26,000	Crawford County, Iowa	Funding	4½	April, 1919-22	4.60
40,000	Muscatine, Iowa	City Hall	5	May, 1927-34	4.60
49,000	Girard Township, Ill.	School District	5½	April, 1920-31	4.65
20,000	Superior, Wis.	Refunding	4	Aug., 1924	4.65
325,000	Houston, Tex.	Wharf	5	Feb., 1922-31	4.70
30,000	Tacoma, Wash.	Water	5	June, 1921-26	4.70
28,000	Memphis, Tenn.	River Terminal	5	April, 1924-34	4.70
50,000	Boise, Idaho	Refunding	5	July, 1935/25	4.70
200,000	Wilmington, N. C.	Refunding & Impt.	5	July, 1923-58	4.75
112,000	Wildwood, N. J.	Sewer	4½	Feb., 1928-37	4.75
128,000	Pueblo County, Colo.	School District	4½	Aug., 1931/21	4.75
24,000	El Paso County, Tex.	Road	5	Feb., 1924-37	4.85
23,500	City of Baker, Ore.	Street	5	July, 1931	4.90
25,000	Euclid, Ohio	Sewer & Water	6	Oct., 1923-27	4.90
69,000	Nacogdoches County, Tex.	Court House & Jail	5	July, 1951/16	5.00
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MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK.

New York, December 12, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the National Bank of Commerce in New York for the election of directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at its banking house, 31 Nassau Street, New York City, on Tuesday, January 14, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock to 1 P. M.

FARIS R. RUSSELL, Vice President.

New York, December 7, 1918.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS of the MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK of the City of New York will be held at its Banking House, No. 42 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1919, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

OWEN E. PAYNTER, Cashier.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SYRACUSE, located at Syracuse, in the State of New York, is closing its affairs. All noteholders and other creditors of the association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

Dated December 16, 1918.
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Counsel for Investment Bankers Prepare Data as to Corporations and Partnerships.

SOME TYPICAL CASES CITED

Advantage Said to Lie with the Partnership as Against the Corporation.

Reed, McCook & Hoyt, as counsel of the Investment Bankers' Association of America, have prepared a number of typical cases in which the difference between partnership and corporation taxes is shown under the war profits tax in the Federal taxation program. The cases were prepared for the Taxation Committee of the association. They follow:

A, B, and C, each with a net income of $10,000 a year, organized Corporation A in December, 1917, with a capital of $500,000 to take a Government war contract. No one advised them of an intended tax discrimination against corporations, and they followed the usual course. They gave up other businesses and put all their capital into a war venture. Their profits are $100,000. They are taxed as follows:

Net income	$100,000	$100,000
War profits credit	53,000	
Excess	$47,000	
War Profits Tax 80 per cent		37,600
Balance, subject to normal tax		$62,400
Tax 12 per cent		7,488
Balance subject if distributed to surtax, ($18,304 each)		$54,912
A total corporation tax		45,088
		$100,000

If the $54,912 is distributed, it will be subject to surtaxes amounting to $1,722.96.

This seems all right from the viewpoint of applied patriotism, until A B and C compare notes with D & Co., a partnership, composed of D E and F, with a pre-war income of $30,000. They took a similar contract and also made a profit of $100,000. The partnership is not taxed. The tax of each partner is as follows:

Net income	$33,334
Exemption, say	2,400
	$30,934
12 per cent. tax	3,712
Surtaxes, 1 per cent. to 15 per cent.	2,290
Total tax	$6,002

A total of $18,006 for the three partners against $45,088 paid by Corporation A. A, B, and C each pay $15,603.65, exclusive of surtaxes, against $6,002 each paid by D, E, and F.

This case is typical and affects the individual average business man. It will be experienced in every part of the country. Probably the large majority of such businesses are incorporated, but a substantial proportion of them are not. The bill provides a sort of beneficent subterfuge by which possibly some such corporations may be actually taxed as a partnership. Under Section 220, if the earnings are not distributed the Commissioner can find it guilty of attempting to evade the surtaxes for its stockholders and punish them in the case supposed by waiving the $45,087 tax against the corporation and taxing A, B, and C individually as partners, a total of $18,006. No right is expressly given the corporation to plead guilty to this crime, but its plea in an extreme case may be accepted. The Government will then lose its war profits tax on both the corporation and the partnership.

Ignoring the limited possibilities and dangers of Section 220 and taking the case of a very large corporation and comparing it with a wealthy partnership whose surtaxes are high the advantage to the partnership is relatively slight. In fact, unless all its earnings are distributed and pay the surtax the advantage is apt to be with the corporation.

Corporation U, for instance, has a total capital of $100,000,000 and a net income of $30,000,000, with a pre-war deduction of $20,000,000. It will be taxed as follows:

Net income	$30,000,000	$30,000,000
War profits credit	20,000,000	
Subject to tax	$10,000,000	
War profits tax, 80 per cent		8,000,000
Balance subject to normal tax		$22,000,000
Normal tax, 12 per cent		2,640,000
Balance for possible distribution		$19,360,000
Total tax paid by corporation		10,640,000
		$30,000,000

Assuming a distribution of 18 per cent., or $18,000,000, among three equal stockholders, the surtax of each on $6,000,000 would be:

On first $1,000,000 graduated	$583,510
On $5,000,000 balance, 65%	3,250,000
	$3,833,510
A total for the three stockholders of	$11,500,530
Plus corporation tax	10,640,000
Total reasonable maximum tax of corporation and stockhldrs.	$22,140,530

On a normal distribution of 12 per cent., or $12,000,000, the surtax of each stockholder would be

On first $1,000,000 graduated	$583,510
On $3,000,000 balance, 65%	1,950,000
	$2,533,510
A total for three of	$7,600,530
Total reasonably average tax, corporation and stockholders	$18,240,530

Assuming that the corporation by a 6 per cent. dividend could enable its stockholders to escape the surtax on the balance, the total tax would be:

Corporation tax		$10,640,000
Stockholders, each $1,000,000	$583,510	
$1,000,000 balance, 65%	650,000	
	$1,233,510	
Total reasonably minimum tax on corporation and stockholders		3,700,500
		$14,340,530

In a partnership with three equal partners on the same capital, and with the same earnings, yielding a net income of $10,000,000 each, the tax of each would be:

On $1,000,000, graduated	$583,510
On balance, 65%	5,850,000
Total	$6,433,510
Total for the three partners.	19,300,500

A representative of the Taxation Committee of the association pointed out that the chief objection was not so much to the injustice of an exclusive tax on corporate war profits for 1918, but to the fact that this discrimination is perpetuated in the Senate bill, and that a 20 to 40 per cent. tax on so-called excess proifts must result in the disincorporation of many businesses and the loss of the legitimate advantages of incorporation in the development of the most successful businesses of the country. It was said that many corporations whose invested capital under the law is disproportionately low, and which because of the number of stockholders cannot disincorporate, may by disincorporation under certain conditions be able to get the benefit of values now denied to them, assuming that the conferees accept the Senate scheme of a perpetuated excess profits tax.

Collector Mark Eisner, in answer to a request yesterday for an example which would illustrate all of the provisions of the proposed new excess and war profits law which are designed to guard against excessive taxation of corporations with incomes disproportionate to the amount of their invested capital, said:

"There are two guarding provisions and checks to effectuate this, one of which was not shown in the first example published yesterday in THE TIMES. The first provides that where the war profits credit (without the $3,000 exemption) is less than 10 per cent. of the invested capital of the taxable year, the credit shall be 10 per cent., nevertheless, of the invested capital for 1918, plus the exemption of $3,000. The second check provides that the tax shall in no event be greater than 30 per cent. of the amount of net income in excess of $3,000 and not in excess of $20,000, plus 80 per cent. of the amount of net income in excess of $20,000.

"The following example will clearly illustrate the employment of these checks:

A. B. C. CORPORATION.

Invested capital for 1918 (averaged) is	$75,000	(a)
Net income for 1918 is	60,000	(b)
Averaged invested capital, pre-war, is	60,000	(c)
Averaged net income, pre-war, is	2,500	(d)
Excess profits credit:		
8% of invested capital for taxable year (a)	$6,000	
Specified exemption	3,000	
Total	$9,000	(e)
War profits credit:		
Average pre-war income (d)	$2,500	
Plus 10% of difference between average pre-war invested capital and invested capital for 1918 (a less c)	1,500	

Now applying the *first check*, we find that the war profits credit is less than 10% of the invested capital for the taxable year. (10% of $75,000 is $7,500.) Hence the war profits credit shall be the sum of 10% of invested capital for 1918 (a) = $7,500 and specific exemption = 3,000

$10,500 (f)

FIRST BRACKET.

30% of net income in excess of excess profits credit (e) and not in excess of 20% of invested capital (20% of invested capital, is 20% of $75,000 or $15,000, minus $9,000=$6,000) at 30% = $1,800

SECOND BRACKET.

60% of net income in excess of 20% of invested capital (20% invested capital is $15,000; net income in excess of that is $45,000, at 60% =$27,000

Total excess profits tax $28,800 (g)

THIRD BRACKET, (WAR PROFITS TAX.)

Sum by which 80% of net income in excess of war profits credit exceeds sum of first and second brackets:

War profits credit (f) is	$10,500
Net income in excess thereof is	49,500
80% of $49,500 is	39,600
Which exceeds sum of first and second brackets (g) by	10,800 (h)

Thus $10,800 would be the war profits tax and the total excess profits and war profits tax would be $39,600 (g+h.) But we must apply the *second check*:

Net income in excess of $3,000 and not in excess of $20,000	=$17,000
30% of $17,000 is	5,100 (i)
Amount of net income in excess of $20,000	= 40,000
80% thereof is	32,000 (j)
(i) + (j) is $5,100 plus $32,000	=$37,100 (k)

Hence, since the total excess profits tax and war profits tax as determined in the brackets is $39,600, which exceeds the amount just determined (k), the tax will be reduced to the amount (k) or $37,100.

MILLER OUT OF FOOD WORK.

Mitchell Approves Terminal Distribution Plans of Retiring Director.

John Mitchell, President of the New York Food Commission and Chairman of the New York Federal Food Board, concurs with Cyrus C. Miller, who retires tomorrow as Director of the Bureau of Distribution and Transportation, in his recommendation for more adequate terminal facilities for handling food products. In accepting Mr. Miller's resignation Mr. Mitchell wrote:

"With the suggestions you make in regard to the importance of providing adequate terminal facilities for the handling of food porducts and maintaining a free flow of food products from the country to the city I am in hearty accord. I trust that plans for continuing permanently the work we have started in this direction will be adopted by the State."

Mr. Miller has been Director of Distribution and Transportation of the New York State Food Commission since Nov. 1, 1917, and he and Calvin J. Huson, Director of the Bureau of Production, and Professor Howard E. Babcock, Director of the Bureau of Food Conservation, with Mr. Mitchell, outlined the organized work of food activity in New York State which became the basis of all the work done by the United States Food Administration in this State. Mr. Miller also organized the Trades Division, the Complaint Division, and the price interpreting lists.

Further Decrease in Coal Output.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—There was a decrease in the production of both bituminous and anthracite coal during the week ended Dec. 21, according to the Fuel Administration. The estimate for the week places the production of bituminous at 10,136,000 net tons, and of anthracite at 1,839,000 tons, compared with 10,616,000 of bituminous and 1,924,000 anthracite the previous week. During the corresponding week of last year the production was 10,923,000 net tons of bituminous and 1,778,000 net tons of anthracite.

Du Pont Export Company Organized

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 29.—The E. I. du Pont de Nemours Export Company, incorporated to take over the du Pont company's foreign business, has been organized and tentative plans announced for expansion of foreign trade. The officers are: President, F. W. Pickard, Vice President of the du Pont company in charge of the sales department; Vice President and Director of Sales, Walter S. Gavan, for many years the directing head of the export business; Treasurer, F. D. Brown; Secretary, Alexis I. du Pont.

CURB MARKET OF THE WEEK

Trading by Days

	Industrials	Oils	Mining	Bonds
Monday	48,130	52,510	145,210	$1,426,000
Tuesday	22,078	52,450	54,850	1,136,000
Wednesday	Holiday.			
Thursday	52,425	56,612	88,178	492,000
Friday	89,760	69,461	138,205	687,000
Saturday	51,115	76,500	40,899	480,000
Total	263,508	307,533	467,342	$4,221,000

INDUSTRIALS

Range, 1918 High	Low	Sales		High	Low	Last	Net Ch'ge
16¾	5¼	33,500	*Aetna Explosives.	7	5½	5⅞	– 1⅛
77	58	193	*Air Reduction....	60	58	59	+ 1
4½	2	500	*Am. Writ. Paper.	2¾	2½	2½	– ½
28⅝	14¼	100	Br.-Am. Tob., reg.	23	23	23	– ⅝
24⅛	14⅝	8,300	Br.-Am. Tob., c...	24⅛	23½	24⅛	+ ⅝
59½	19	1,700	*Butterw'th & Jud.	20⅜	19	20¼	+ 4¼
2¼	¼	500	*Cuprite Sulphur..	¼	¼	¼	– ⅛
42	10	800	Curtiss Aero......	12½	11½	11½	– 1⅛
31	31	100	Dav. Chem. vt. cv.	31	31	31	..
21	21	500	*Edmunds & J. C.	21	21	21	..
40½	23⅝	1,050	*Gen. Asphalt.....	39½	37⅞	38¾	+ ¼
22⅛	22½	100	Gen. Develop......	22½	22½	22½	..
7½	1	400	*Hall Signal......	3	3	3	– 1
18	12	200	*Hall Signal pf...	12	12	12	– 5
5⅝	2⅛	1,500	Hupp Motor Car..	4¾	4⅛	4½	– ⅛
15¼	8	500	Inter. Rubber.....	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ¼
46⅝	12¾	67,200	Keystone T. & R..	46⅝	37¾	45	+ 7⅛
19½	10⅜	100	*Kirby Lumber....	17	17	17	..
5¼	2¾	7,200	Marconi of Am....	4	3⅞	4	..
34	25	400	Mitchell Motors..	25⅛	25	25⅝	..
4⅝	2	2,400	Nor. A. P. & P....	2¾	2⅝	2¾	..
56½	34½	1,850	Penn. Seb.Stl.v.t.c.	40⅛	40	40	..
20	13	100	Peerless T. & Mot.	19	19	19	– 1
15⅞	5¾	900	*Poulsen Wireless.	6	5¾	6	– 1
100	86	24,400	*Perfection T.Rub.	1	†86	13/16	..
11⅞	4	500	Republic Motor Tr.	36½	35	36	..
2⅞	1/16	8,600	*Smith Motor Tr..	3/32	1/16	3/32	+ 1/32
17¾	10	2,350	*St. Joseph Lead..	13⅛	10	12	– 2¼
⅛	⅛	100	Spring Body Corp.	⅛	⅛	⅛	..
8¾	5	100	*Steel Alloys Corp.	8	8	8	..
13¾	7⅝	900	*Standard Motor.	8½	8¼	8½	+ ¼
20¼	10¼	12,700	Submarine Boat...	12½	10¼	10⅜	– 1⅜
1	1/16	5,000	Triangle Film.....	3/16	1/16	1/16	..
102	80	25	Todd Shipyards...	102	102	102	..
85⅝	19⅞	24,500	*United Motors....	35	32½	32¾	– 1⅜
1½	⅜	500	Un. Profit Shar..	⅝	5/16	5/16	..
8	1	1,210	*U. S. L. & H....	1⅝	1⅜	1½	..
7⅛	4¼	22,600	U. S. Steam. Co..	5¾	4⅞	5⅛	– ⅝
4⅝	2¾	16,500	Wayne Coal	4⅝	4¼	4⅝	..
⅝	⅛	4,000	World Film	⅛	⅛	⅛	– ⅛
..	..	14,200	Wright-Mar. Air..	4⅝	4	4	– ⅝

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES

Range, 1918 High	Low	Sales		High	Low	Last	Net Ch'ge
18⅛	11¼	1,700	Anglo-Am. Oil....	17⅝	17¼	17¾	+ ¼
145	85	30	Galena-Signal Oil.	94	92	94	+ 3
192	138	10	Ill. Pipe Line.....	155	155	155	+ 2
103	90	25	Ind. Pipe Line....	103	102	103	+ 5
63	26	3,550	Penn.-Mex. Oil....	63	54½	60	+ 2
599	418	60	Prairie Oil & Gas.	599	555	555	– 4
..	..	30	Prairie Pipe Line.	268	266	268	+ 1
185	166	5	South. Pipe Line..	180	180	180	– 5
300	245	60	South Penn. Oil...	294	293	293	+ 6
239	210	130	Stand. Oil of Cal..	236	231	234	+ 2
664	490	1,019	Stand. Oil of N. J..	664	600	664	+76
305	214	540	Stand. Oil of N. Y..	305	298	302	+ 7
107	85	10	Union Tank	105	105	105	– 1
420	317	140	Vacuum Oil.......	398	391	391	+16

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS

Range, 1918 High	Low	Sales		High	Low	Last	Net Ch'ge
11/16	3/16	700	Allen Oil..........	⅝	9/16	⅝	– 1/16
1 1/16	1/16	7,100	*Barnett O. & G..	¼	3/16	3/16	– 1/16
33	15	4,000	*Boston-Wyo. Oil..	19	19	19	+ 1
9¼	5⅝	10,600	*Cosden Oil.......	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛
4⅛	3⅛	400	*Cosden Oil pf....	4⅛	4	4	+ ⅛
1⅞	1	50	*Crystal O. & R...	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	..
7½	5⅛	1,000	*Elk Basin Pet....	6	5¾	5¾	– ⅛
16	3	44,150	*Esmeralda Oil...	5	4½	5	..
4	1½	7,225	*Federal Oil......	2	1⅞	1⅞	– ⅛
5	2⅝	2,400	*Glenrock Oil.....	3½	3⅜	3½	+ ⅝
1¼	⅞	1,600	*Globe Oil........	1 1/16	⅞	⅞	– 1/16
86½	39¼	300	*Houston Oil.....	71½	71	71	– 1
19⅝	12¾	13,100	*Inter. Pet........	19⅝	17	19⅝	+ 1⅝
6¼	1¾	20,500	*Island O. & T....	6	5⅝	5¾	..
29⅝	17½	2,000	Merritt Oil.......	23¾	23	23	– 1
2¼	⅜	17,000	Met. Petrol.......	2 3/16	1 13/16	2 3/16	+ ¼
135	85	70,000	*Midwest Oil......	131	114	116	– 3
2¼	1	1,500	*Midwest Oil pf...	1 1/16	1 1/16	1 1/16	..
139½	96	2,330	*Midwest Ref.....	124½	122	122	– 1½
89	42	8,300	*Northwest Oil....	55	48	52	+ 5
10¼	6¼	18,700	Okla. P. & R......	9⅝	9⅜	9½	..
40	18	14,000	Omar Oil & Gas...	23	21	23	..
86	8	8,500	*Queen Oil........	14	11	13	..
82	56	7,700	*Royal Dutch, new	67½	63½	67¼	+ ½
10¼	6	1,300	*Sapulpa O. & R..	7	6⅞	7	..
9⅝	6	100	Savoy Oil.........	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	– ⅝
½	⅛	500	Security P. & R...	⅝	¼	⅝	..
1⅝	⅜	6,300	Sequoyah O. & R..	5/16	½	5/16	..
24	15	7,500	*Sinclair Gulf......	22⅞	20½	21⅝	+ 1⅝
58	25	1,400	Southwest Oil.....	40	39	39	..
2¾	1⅜	5,900	*Stanton Oil......	1½	1¼	1⅜	– ⅛
6¾	1¾	2,300	*Victoria Oil, new	2¼	2⅛	2¼	..

MINING STOCKS

Range, 1918 High	Low	Sales		High	Low	Last	Net Ch'ge
74	36	11,050	Alaska-Br. C. M..	†46	39	46	+ 7
91	50	1,400	*American Mines..	†91	89	90	– 1
13	3	9,900	*Atlanta	†5½	5	5½	..
1½	⅝	8,250	Big Ledge Cop....	1	⅞	1	+ 1/16
23	3	1,000	*Booth	†13	13	13	– 3
63	41	33,900	Boston Montana...	†57	53	54	..
7	2	2,800	Butte-Detroit	†3	2	2½	– ½
56	23	14,950	*Caledonia Min....	†32	27	29	– 3
1½	⅜	5,000	*Calumet & Jerome	½	⅜	½	+ 1/16
2⅝	1½	5,200	Canada Copper...	2 1/16	2	2 1/16	– ⅛
53	37	13,150	*Candelaria Silver.	†53	52	53	..
19	3	8,000	Cashboy	†8	7½	7½	– 2
1⅞	¾	3,900	*Cerb. S. M. & M.	1¼	1	1⅛	..
2 3/16	1 1/16	3,700	Con. Ariz. Smelt..	1⅝	1 1/16	1 1/16	– 1/16
7⅝	4½	11,300	Cons. Cop. Min....	6¼	6	6	– ⅝
6	4¼	10,200	Cresson Gold......	5⅛	4⅞	5	– ⅛
1⅜	.55	2,200	El Salvador Silver.	1⅜	1¼	1⅜	..
2⅛	⅞	4,400	*Eureka Croes. M.	1½	1¼	1½	..
2½	1⅜	1,650	First Natl. Cop...	2⅛	1⅞	2	+ ⅛
43	30	1,400	*Fortuna Cons....	†40	39	40	..
13/16	.17	24,450	Goldfield Cons....	†27	21	23	– 5
11	1½	2,900	*Gold Merger......	†6	5	6	– 1½
10	2½	9,700	*Great Bend.......	†6½	4	5	+ 1
6 1/16	2⅞	2,820	Hecla Mining......	5¼	4⅞	4⅞	– 1/16
4⅝	4	2,550	Howe Sound, w. i.	4⅝	4	4	– ½
90	32	9,250	*Jim Butler........	†39	34	35	..
13/16	¼	2,000	La Rose Consol...	5/16	¼	¼	– ⅛
62	28	1,100	*Liberty Silver....	†49	47	49	..
33	1½	72,000	Lone Star Con....	†7	5	6	– 1½
34	32	5,900	*MacNamara Min.	†34	32	33	..
½	¼	4,300	*Magma Chief....	†25	25	25	..
42	23½	11,200	Magma Copper....	26½	23¼	24	– 3½
6¼	2¼	3,700	Mason Valley......	2⅝	2¼	2½	– ½
56	25	6,500	*Mother Lode.....	†35	33	34	– 1
9½	8	200	Nipissing	9	9	9	..
1 3/16	.31	37,500	Nixon Nevada.....	†52	45	47	+ 4
6	1⅞	3,700	Onondaga Mines...	4¼	4	4¼	..
4⅞	3	1,600	*Ray Hercules	3¾	3	3¼	– ⅛
54	27	9,700	Rochester Mines...	†29	27	28	– 3
88	65	6,300	Silver Can. Min..	†87	80	80	– 8
1	1/16	500	*Silver Fis. Sil...	13/16	3/16	3/16	..
½	1/16	1,700	Stand. Sil. Lead..	⅜	5/16	⅜	..
¼	.10	12,400	Stewart	†17	16	16	– 1
14	7	7,500	*Success Mining...	†10	8	8	– 3
2⅝	1	6,625	Tonopah Ex.......	2¼	1⅞	2¼	+ ⅜
4	2 1/16	200	*Tonopah Mining..	3	3	3	..
5¼	3	222	United Eastern....	4½	4	4½	..
91	73	11,100	Wash. Gold Q....	†91	90	90	+ 1
1½	1/32	5,450	West End Con....	1¼	1 1/16	1 1/16	– 1/16
22	11	20,500	Western Utah Ex.	†21	16	17	– 2
21	8½	11,000	White Cap Min...	†10½	9¼	10¼	+ ½
2	1½	5,200	*White Caps Ext.	†2	1½	2	+ ½
1⅜	1	675	*White Knob C.pf.	1⅜	1¼	1¼	..
12	4	1,000	Wilbert Copper....	†6	6	6	– ½
26	22	85	Yukon Alaska.....	†25	25	25	..

BONDS

Range, 1918 High	Low	Sales		High	Low	Last	Net Ch'ge
100	98¾	$1,000	*Am. T. & T. 1-year 6s, w. i....	100	100	100	+ ¼
101¾	100⅛	5,000	*Am. Tob. 7s, '19.	101¼	101	101	– ¼
103	99¼	26,000	*Am. Tob. 7s, '23.	103	102⅝	103	+ ¼
101	99⅝	9,000	*Beth.S.7%,'19,w.i.	100⅞	100⅝	100⅞	+ ⅝
101	96	19,000	*Beth.S.7%,'23,w.i.	101	100⅝	100¾	+ ⅝
96	96	87,000	*Braden 6s,'31,w.i.	96	96	96	..
99⅝	94	77,000	*Canadian Gov. 5s.	99¼	98⅞	99¼	+ ¼
100	99⅞	....	Can. C. Ter.6s,'23.	100	99⅞	99⅞	– ¼
40	35	7,000	*Col. Ariz. Sm. 5s	40	35	35	..
101⅞	100¼	316,000	*C. & N.W.d.5s,w.i.	100⅞	100¼	100¼	– ⅜
102¼	97⅛	15,000	*Cudahy 7s,'23,w.i.	102	102	102	– ¼
99¼	90	490,000	*I. R. T. 7s, w. i..	96¼	90	91⅝	– 4⅝
79	78	....	Gen. Mot. 6% deb.	79	78	78	– ½
99⅝	98¼	185,000	*Ligg. & M. 6s, '21	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝	..
103⅜	98⅞	1,000	*Proc. & G. 7s, '23.	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜	..
99⅝	98¼	2075000	*Pa.R.R.gen.5s,w.i.	99⅛	98⅞	98⅝	– ½
73	33	143,000	*Russ. Gov. 5½s..	63	50	54	– 9
78	35	120,000	*Russ. Gov. 6½s..	65	54	54	–13
99¼	98⅝	107,000	*St.P. E.D.5½s,w.i.	99¼	98⅝	98⅞	..
100	99¼	8,000	*Studebaker 7s, '21	99¾	99¼	99¼	– ⅜
100	98⅜	42,000	*Studebaker 7s, '22	99¾	98⅜	98⅜	– 1⅛
99½	98⅛	2,000	*Studebaker 7s, '23	99	98⅛	99	– ½
96⅞	96⅞	5,000	*Studebkr. 7½s, '26	96⅞	96⅞	96⅞	..
96⅝	96⅝	1,000	*Studebkr. 7½s, '27	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	..
97¼	97¼	30,000	*Studebaker 7s, '27	97¼	97¼	97¼	– 1¼
98½	96⅝	50,000	*Studebaker 7s, '28	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	– 1⅛
97⅛	97	4,000	*Studebaker 7s, '29	97	97	97	– ⅛
100⅛	98⅝	1,000	*Wes.El.1-y.6s,w.i.	100	100	100	– ⅛
97	93⅞	535,000	*Wilson cv.6s, w.i.	95¼	93⅞	93⅞	– 1½

*Unlisted. †Cents per share.

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30,000	Prov. of Alberta	5	1925	96	5.75
50,000	Prov. of Brit. Columbia	4½	1925-26	93	5.85
25,000	Prov. of Saskatchewan	5	1925-26	96	5.75
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FINANCIAL NOTICES.

TO THE HOLDERS OF
CAYUGA CEMENT CORPORATION
First Mortgage Convertible Sinking Fund 6% Gold Bonds Due March 1, 1930.
SINKING FUND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, as provided in Article 5 of the Indenture dated March 1, 1915, securing the above issue of bonds, that sealed offers will be received up to 10 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, January 14, 1919, by the undersigned at its office, 140 Broadway, New York City, for the sale to it as Trustee, at the lowest price at which said bonds shall be offered not exceeding 102½% of par and accrued interest, of bonds in such amount as will exhaust the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-one dollars and Twenty-seven cents ($3,591.27), now on deposit in the Sinking Fund. Bonds accepted are to be delivered on Thursday, January 16, 1919.

Offers should be endorsed, "Offers to the Sinking Fund of Cayuga Cement Corporation First Mortgage Convertible Sinking Fund 6% Gold Bonds due March 1, 1930," and should be addressed to the **TRUST DEPARTMENT.** The right is reserved to reject any and all offers.

GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.
By CHARLES H. SABIN, President.
Dated, New York, December 26, 1918.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of this corporation, dated Dec. 1st, 1914, this corporation will, during the year 1919, out of its surplus, purchase and retire two hundred and one (201) shares of the outstanding preferred stock of this corporation. Holders of preferred stock who wish to do so, are invited to present the same for retirement at 49 Manhattan Street, Manhattan, New York City.

CUSHMAN'S SONS, INC.
DAVID BLEIER, Treasurer.

CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY, INCORPORATED.

Interest on First and General Mortgage Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds of this Company, due 1937, will be paid on or after January 1, 1919, upon presentation of Coupon No. 14 to the Columbia Trust Company, No. 60 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

J. M. B. HOXSEY, Treasurer.

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Interest on Thirty Year First Mortgage Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of this Company, due 1941, will be paid on and after January 1, 1919, upon presentation of Coupon No. 16, to the Bankers Trust Company, No. 16 Wall Street, New York, N. Y.

J. M. B. HOXSEY, Treasurer.

THE CUBAN-AMERICAN SUGAR COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the First Lien Six Per Cent. Serial Gold Notes (Series A) maturing January 1, 1919, together with coupons thereon, should be presented for payment to The National City Bank of New York, 55 Wall Street, New York City, on or after January 2, 1919.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

CUBA CANE SUGAR CORPORATION,
112 Wall St., New York, N. Y., Dec. 23, 1918.
To the Stockholders of CUBA CANE SUGAR CORPORATION:

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Cuba Cane Sugar Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 112 Wall Street, New York City, on Monday, January 13th, 1919, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of Directors to hold office for one year, and for the transaction of any and all business as may come before the meeting, including considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all contracts, acts, and proceedings of the Board of Directors and of the Executive Committee since the last annual meeting as set forth in the Minute Book, which will be presented to the meeting and be open to inspection of the stockholders.

The stock transfer books of the Corporation will not be closed.

H. F. KROYER, Secretary.

WENATCHEE SECURITIES CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Wenatchee Securities Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation at No. 79 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, on the 13th day of January, 1919, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing three directors for the ensuing year, and two inspectors of election to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated, New York, December 7th, 1918.
WALTER S. KLEE, Secretary.

THE EQUITABLE TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.
Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Equitable Trust Company of New York for the purpose of electing Trustees for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting will be held at the office of the company, 37 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M.

RICHARD R. HUNTER, Secretary.

Dec. 21st, 1918.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the THOMAS P. FORD COMPANY will be held at the offices of the Company, 407 Broome Street, on Monday, January 6th, 1919, at 10:30 A. M., to elect Directors for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

THE THOMAS P. FORD COMPANY.
Henry Dusenbery, Secty.

To the Holders of:
PHILADELPHIA COMPANY
First Mortgage and Collateral Trust 5% Gold Bonds Due 1949

The undersigned, Trustee under the Mortgage securing the above bonds, has on deposit the uninvested balance of the $4,000,000 consideration received from the sale of property (Brunot Island Plant), formerly under the lien of the mortgage securing this issue.

At the request of the Philadelphia Company, the Trustee will continue to receive up to the close of business on December 31, 1918, tenders of the above bonds (either stamped or unstamped), at not exceeding par and interest, sufficient to exhaust such cash balance in hand. Tenders should be addressed Maryland Trust Company, Trustee, Baltimore, Md., "Philadelphia Company Bond Tender," and must be for all or any part of the bonds offered.

Advices as to bonds accepted will be mailed by the Trustee on or before January 4, 1919. Bonds so accepted, accompanied by Federal Income Tax Ownership Certificate covering accrued interest, must be delivered to the Trustee at its office in Baltimore, Md., not later than 3:00 P. M., January 10, 1919.

MARYLAND TRUST CO., Trustees,
Baltimore, Md.

SAVINGS BANKS. SAVINGS BANKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank
51 Chambers St., New York
The Board of Trustees has declared a Semi-Annual Dividend at the rate of
Four Per Cent. Per Annum
ON ALL DEPOSITS ENTITLED THERETO. DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10TH, 1919, WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1ST, 1919.
JOHN S. DALY, Comptroller. JOHN J. PULLEYN, President.

The Bowery Savings Bank
128 and 130 BOWERY.
NEW YORK, December 9, 1918.
A semi-annual dividend at the rate of
FOUR PER CENT.
per annum has been declared and will be credited to depositors on all sums of $5.00 and upward and not exceeding $3,000 which shall have been deposited at least three months on the first day of January next, and will be payable on and after Monday, January 20, 1919.
Money deposited on or before January 10 will draw interest from January 1, 1919.
HENRY A. SCHENCK, President.
WILLIAM E. KNOX, Comptroller.
JOSEPH G. LIDDLE, Secretary.

Citizens' Savings Bank
56 AND 58 BOWERY, COR. CANAL ST.
117TH SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND.
The Trustees have ordered interest at the rate of **FOUR (4%) PER CENT.** per annum, to be paid to depositors on and after **January 20th, 1919,** on all sums of $5 and up to $3,000, which have remained on deposit for the three or six months ending **December 31, 1918,** in accordance with the by-laws and rules of the bank. Money deposited on or before **January 10th** will draw interest from **January 1st.**
HENRY HASLER, President.
HENRY SAYLER, Secretary.
EDWIN A. LAHM, Assistant Secretary.

SEAMEN'S BANK FOR SAVINGS
76 Wall Street.
THE TRUSTEES HAVE ORDERED THAT INTEREST be paid to depositors entitled thereto for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1918.
On accounts not exceeding three thousand dolars at the rate of FOUR PER CENT. per annum.
Payable on and after Monday, Jan. 20, 1919.
DANIEL BARNES, President.
GEORGE M. HALSEY, Cashier.
WILLISTON H. BENEDICT, Secretary.
New York, Dec. 5th, 1918.
—NOTICE—
Deposits to draw interest from Jan. 1st or April 1st or July 1st or Oct. 1st must be made on or before the last day of the previous month.

NEW YORK SAVINGS BANK
N. W. Cor. 14th St. and 8th Avenue
Dividend Jan. 1st, 1919, at the rate of
FOUR PER CENT.
per annum on all sums from $5 to $3,000 entitled thereto, under the By-laws.
DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEFORE JAN. 10TH WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM JAN. 1ST.
WILLIAM FELSINGER, President.
JAMES L. WANDLING, Treasurer.
WALTER R. BRINKERHOFF, Sec'y.

Dry Dock Savings Institution
341 & 343 BOWERY, Cor. 3d St., New York
The Trustees have declared a dividend for the six months ending December 31, 1918, on all deposits from FIVE DOLLARS to THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS entitled thereto under the By-laws, at the rate of **THREE and ONE-HALF Per Cent.** per annum, payable on and after January 20, 1919.
Deposits made on or before Jan. 10 will be entitled to interest from Jan. 1, 1919.
ANDREW MILLS, President.
WM. F. PATTERSON, Vice-President.
FREDERICK SHERWOOD, Treasurer.
SAMUEL WEBSTER, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

Mid-Crosstown Railway Company, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of Mid-Crosstown Railway Company, Inc., will be held at the office of the Company, No. 2,396 Third Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Monday, January 13th, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, appointing Inspectors of Election, considering and voting upon the approval and ratification of all purchases, contracts, acts and proceedings of the Board of Directors since the last Annual Meeting of the corporation, including the approval and ratification of the action of the Board of Directors in declaring abandoned the franchises to construct, maintain, and operate street surface railroads in, upon, and along certain streets, avenues, and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and the transacting of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated New York, December 24th, 1918.
W. C. BURROWS, Assistant Secretary.

To the Stockholders of the Empire Vacuum Co.:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special meeting of the stockholders of the EMPIRE VACUUM COMPANY will be held at Room No. 608, 84 Pine Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 28th day of January, 1919, at three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to determine whether the Company should be dissolved.

Dated, New York City, November 29th, 1918.
RICHARD J. STEWART,
Secretary, Empire Vacuum Company.

LAKESIDE LIVE STOCK COMPANY, INC.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, for the election of Directors for the year 1919, will be held at the offices of the Company, in the City of New Orleans, on January 20, 1919, between the hours of Twelve and Two O'clock P. M.

J. J. McCLOSKEY, Secretary. L. M. POOL, Vice-President.

The Bank for Savings
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
280 Fourth Avenue, Dec. 11th, 1918.
199th Semi-Annual Dividend
The Board of Trustees has declared an interest dividend for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1918, at the rate of
Four Per Cent.
per annum on all sums of $5.00 and upward entitled thereto, and payable on and after January 20th, 1919.
THE DIVIDEND will be credited to Depositors as principal January 1st, 1919.
DEPOSITS made on or before January 10th, 1919, will draw interest from January 1st, 1919.
After January 1st, 1919, Liberty Loan Bonds belonging to Depositors will be received for safe-keeping without charge.
WALTER TRIMBLE, President.
LEWIS B. GAWTRY, Secretary.
JOHN HARPER, Comptroller.

Central Savings Bank
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK
CORNER 4TH AVENUE AND 14TH STREET.
Interest at the rate of
FOUR (4) PER CENTUM
per annum will be credited depositors for the six months ending December 31st, 1918, on all sums entitled thereto under the By-laws, not exceeding three thousand ($3,000) dollars, and will be payable on and after January 21st, 1919.
Deposits made on or before January 10th, 1919, will draw interest from January 1st, 1919.
HUBERT CILLIS, President.
A. KOPPEL, Treasurer.

Empire City Savings Bank
231 West 125th Street
The Trustees have declared interest for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1918, at the rate of
4% Per Annum
Money deposited on or before Jan. 13, 1919, will draw interest from Jan. 1st.
RICHARD E. COCHRAN, President.
A. S. VAN WINKLE, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE HOCKING VALLEY RAILWAY COMPANY.
NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of THE HOCKING VALLEY RAILWAY COMPANY has been called by the Board of Directors of said Company to be held at the principal office of the Company in the City of Columbus, Ohio, on Saturday the 25th day of January, 1919, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

(a) To authorize the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee of the Company to negotiate and cause to be executed and delivered such contract with the President of the United States, the Director General of Railroads, or such other person as the President may direct, as said Board or said Executive Committee shall deem expedient, relating to the compensation to be paid for the possession, use and control of the railroad and system of transportation and appurtenances thereof of the Company, the operation, maintenance and return thereof, and to any other matter connected with or growing out of the taking over by the President of said properties; to alter, amend or add to such contract, by mutual consent to be signified on behalf of the Company by vote of its Board of Directors or Executive Committee; to collect the aggregate compensation to be paid under such contract; and generally to take such action as said Board of Committee shall deem necessary to secure, either by such contract or otherwise, adequate compensation for, and proper maintenance and a timely return of, the property so taken over;

(b) To consent to, approve and authorize the creation and issue of mortgage bonds of the Company to be limited to a principal amount, in United States Gold Coin, of not exceeding $50,000,000 at any one time outstanding; such bonds to mature at such date or dates, to bear interest from such date or dates and at such rate or rates, to be issuable for such purposes and in such denominations, and to be in such form and to contain such terms and provisions, including provision for conversion of any or all such bonds into stock of the Company, as the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee of the Company may determine;

(c) To consent to, approve and authorize the execution and delivery, to secure such bonds, of a mortgage and deed of trust on and of all or any part of the railroads, equipment, franchises and property, including corporate stocks and obligations, owned by the Company at the date of the execution and delivery of such mortgage and deed of trust or at any time thereafter acquired by it;

(d) To approve, or to authorize the Board of Directors of the Company in its discretion to determine, the form and terms of such mortgage and deed of trust, and the property of the Company to be embraced therein;

(e) To ratify and confirm, and to authorize and consent to, any action theretofore taken or authorized by said Board of Directors or by the Executive Committee, of the Company, which may be submitted to the meeting, whether for the purposes of, or in connection with, or in contemplation of, any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise;

(f) To transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed for the meeting on Thursday the 26th day of December, 1918, at three o'clock P. M., and will be reopened on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1919, at ten o'clock A. M.

Dated, Columbus, Ohio, December 16th, 1918.
By order of the Board of Directors,
A. TREVVETT, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is given that ISIDOR KLATZKIN has withdrawn from the partnership composed of LOUIS SETLOW, ABRAHAM ZURER and ISIDOR KLATZKIN, doing business as MODEL SHOE MFG. CO.

ISIDOR KLATZKIN.

REVENUE BILL FIGHT COMING UP IN HOUSE

Bone Dry, Child Labor, and Campaign Tax Amendments Encumber the Measure.

CONFERENCE DELAY FEARED

Extension of the Time for Making Reports Under the New Law May Be Necessary.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—A bitter fight is expected on the $6,000,000,000 Revenue bill when it reaches conference. The measure, with 602 amendments made by the Senate, which reduced the original House draft from $8,000,000,000 to nearly $6,000,000,000, has been loaded down with legislation not bearing upon revenue matters, such as the child labor section, bone dry prohibition for the District of Columbia, and a tax of 100 per cent. on all political assessments in excess of $500.

Indications are that the House, as soon as a quorum is obtained, which may not be until Jan. 6, will insist upon a vote on the three amendments before the bill is sent to conference. The prohibition forces are strong enough to bring about a concurrence in the Senate's amendment on the bone dry provision, while it is believed that the adherents of child labor will command sufficient support to defeat the opposition among the Southern members.

In effect, this latter amendment would seek to carry into operation the child labor law, declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, by placing a tax of 10 per cent. on all articles manufactured by labor under 18 years old and would omit the tax on the products of the manufacturer who employs labor above that age. The tax, of course, is intended to be applied only on products in interstate commerce.

Tax on Campaign Funds.

Practical political leaders of both parties are opposed to the amendment inserted in the Senate bill on the last day imposing 100 per cent. tax on all campaign contributions over $500. This amendment not only applies to contributions in the future, but assesses the tax on the amounts received by the party managers in the last campaign. The question asked in Congress is how are the party leaders going to get the money with which to pay the taxes, which represent in reality nearly the entire amount of money received and expended, as only a small percentage of the contributions are less than $500. There seems to be no question about the elimination of this amendment by the conferees.

Representative Claude Kitchin, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, is opposed to the bill passed by the Senate. He thinks it offers too many loopholes for the rich to escape just taxation by providing half a dozen ways under which the taxpayer can select how he shall pay his taxes. He is opposed to the tax placed on corporations and will insist upon the tax on undivided profits being retained at 18 per cent., instead of 12 per cent., as proposed in the Senate measure. The House bill imposes a tax of 12 per cent. on divided incomes, but makes the levy 18 per cent. on undistributed profits, while the Senate bill makes no distinction between divided and undivided profits.

If there is a quorum in the House tomorrow, the Revenue bill will be considered and an attempt made to concur in the child labor and bone-dry provisions of the Senate bill, and to instruct the conferees to oppose the tax on political contributions. Mr. Kitchin does not wish to act on the bill unless there is a full attendance, which may not be possible to obtain until Jan. 6.

It is expected that a month will be consumed by the conferees. If this is the case, the Internal Revenue Commissioner will have to extend the time for making the reports under the new law.

Operation of Income Tax.

Under the Senate law married persons obtain an exemption on incomes of $2,000, and an exemption of $1,000 is allowed single persons. The taxes that will be paid on incomes of married persons, compiled by an actuary of the Treasury Department, as compared with the existing law, is as follows:

	Existing Law.		Senate Bill.	
Income.	Amount.	Rate P.C. of Entire Income.	Amount.	Rate P.C. of Entire Income.
$2,500	$10	.40	$30	1.20
3,000	20	.67	60	2.00
3,500	30	.86	90	2.57
4,000	40	1.00	120	3.00
4,500	60	1.33	150	3.33
5,000	80	1.60	180	3.60
5,500	105	1.91	210	3.81
6,000	130	2.16	250	4.16
6,500	155	2.38	320	4.92
7,000	180	2.57	390	5.57
7,500	205	2.73	460	6.13
8,000	235	2.93	530	6.63
8,500	265	3.12	605	7.12
9,000	295	3.28	680	7.71
9,500	325	3.42	755	7.95
10,000	355	3.55	830	8.30
12,500	530	4.24	1,235	9.88
15,000	730	4.87	1,670	11.13
20,000	1,180	5.90	2,630	12.15
25,000	1,780	7.12	3,720	14.80
30,000	2,380	7.93	4,930	16.43
35,000	2,980	8.51	6,270	17.91
40,000	3,580	8.95	7,730	19.33
45,000	4,380	9.73	9,320	20.71
50,000	5,180	10.36	11,030	22.06
60,000	6,780	11.30	14,830	24.71
70,000	8,880	12.69	19,130	27.33
80,000	10,980	13.72	23,930	29.81
100,000	16,180	16.18	35,030	35.03
150,000	31,680	21.12	67,030	44.69
200,000	49,180	24.59	101,030	50.52
300,000	92,680	30.89	173,030	57.68
500,000	192,680	38.54	323,030	64.60
1,000,000	475,180	47.52	703,030	70.30
5,000,000	3,140,180	62.80	3,783,030	75.66

Excess and Profits Taxes.

The following table, also prepared by a Treasury expert, shows just how the provisions of the Senate bill actually work out in making the excess and war profits taxes apply to a corporation. Upon a corporation having a capital of $100,000, pre-war profits of $10,000, and profits for the taxable year of $150,000, the tax under paragraph 301 of the Senate bill would be $109,600, and under paragraph 320 it would be $4,608, making a total tax of $114,208, or 76.14 per cent., instead of 80 per cent., as was contended for by the radical element in the Senate headed by Senator La Follette.

The calculations under the two sections of the bill upon a corporation of $100,000 capital follow:

CORPORATIONS.

Capital		$100,000
Pre-war profits		10,000
Taxable-year profits		150,000
Under Bracket 1:		
Deduct 8 per cent. of capital	8,000	
Specific deduction	3,000	
Total deduction		$11,000
Taxable profits under Bracket 1:		
Twenty per cent. of capital	$20,000	
Less deduction	11,000	
	$9,000	
Tax on $9,000 at 30 per cent.		$2,700
Total tax under No. 1		2,700
Under Bracket 2:		
Taxable profits	$150,000	
Less profits included in Bracket 1	20,000	
	$130,000	
$130,000 at 60 per cent.		$78,000
Total under Nos. 1 and 2		80,700
Under Bracket 3:		
Deduction 10 p. c. of capital	10,000	
Specific deduction	3,000	
Total	$13,000	
Profits	$150,000	
Less deduction	13,000	
Taxable	$137,000	
Tax on $137,000 at 80 p. c.	109,600	
Less tax under Nos. 1 and 2	80,700	
Total under No. 3		28,900
Total under 1, 2, and 3		109,600
Percentage of war excess profits—per cent.		73.66
Corporation income tax:		
Profits		150,000
Deduction:		
Excess and war profits	109,600	
Specific deduction	2,000	
		$111,600
Taxable		$38,400
Tax on $38,400 at 12 per cent		4,608
Total tax:		
Bracket 1		2,700
Bracket 2		78,000
Bracket 3		28,900
Corporation income tax		4,608
Total		$114,208
Percentage		76.44

QUOTATION LIST OF OUTSIDE SECURITIES

These quotations are obtained from brokerage houses all over the country. The name of the bidder will be given upon request. Dividend and Interest Periods are indicated as follows: M—Monthly; B—Bi-Monthly; Q—Quarterly; S—Semi-Annual: A—Annual. *Sells dollars per share. †And interest. ‡Including extra dividend. ††Sells flat. ¶Special. x Ex dividend.

PUBLIC UTILITY BONDS.

SECURITIES.	Rate	When Payable.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1918. Bid.	Asked.
Albany Southern, '39	5	Mar. & Sep.	..	75
A. W. W. & Elec., '34	5	Apr. & Oct.	70	73
Anac. & Pot. River, '49	5	Apr. & Oct.	89	91
Appalach. Pwr. 1st, '32	..	June & Dec.	75	78
Ariz. Power 1st, '33	6	May & Nov.	81	86
Ashev. P. & L. 1st, '42	5	Apr. & Oct.	85	90
Au.-Aiken R. & E., '35	5	June & Dec.	62	67
B. Rouge El. 1st, '39	5	Feb. & Aug.	79	85
Bell Tel., (Can.,) '25	5	Apr. & Oct.	90	94
Buff. Gen. El., '39	5	Feb. & Aug.	..	89
Buf. & Niag. F. Elec. Ry. 1st, '35	5	Jan. & July	..	89
Do 1st, '42	5	Jan. & July	93½	96½
Buf. & Lock. 1st, '33	5	Jan. & July	..	98
Buf. & Sus. 1. 1st, '32	5	June & Dec.	90	96
Buf & S. Iron deb., '26	5	Jan. & July	86	89½
Cape Breton El. 1st, '32	5	Jan. & July	77	83
Capital Trac. 1st, '47	5	June & Dec.	97½	98½
C. & P. Tel. cons., '29	5	Jan. & July	96	97
Charleston City Ry., '23	5	Jan. & July	96	98
Charleston Con. R., G. & Elec., '99	5	Mar. & Sep.	87	90
Cit. Serv. deb., Ser. B.	7	Jan. & July	119	121
Cleve. Elec. Ill., '39	5	Apr. & Oct.	93	95
Colo. Power 1st, '53	5	May & Nov.	87	88½
Columbia Ry., Gas & Elec. 1st, '36	5	Jan. & July	83	86
Conn. Pr. 1st & Con., '63	5	Apr. & Oct.	80	86
Conn. R. & Ltg., stpd., 1st, '51	4½	Jan. & July	88	91
Do unstamped, '51	4½	Jan. & July	88	..
Cons. Gas, (Balt.,) '54	4½	Jan. & July	88	90
Do, 1939	5	Jan. & July	100	..
Cons. Gas, Elec. Lt. & Pwr. (Balt.) gen., '35	4½	Jan. & July	85	85½
Cons. G. of N. J., '36	5	Jan. & July	90	..
Do 1st, '65	5	Apr. & Oct.	85	..
Cons. T. of N.J. 1st, '33	5	June & Dec.	90	92
Cons. Water of Utica 1st, '30	5	Jan. & July	95	98
Do deb., '30	5	Jan. & July	85	..
Crosstown Street Ry. (Buffalo) 1st, '32	5	May & Nov.	90	94
Dallas Elec. 1st, '22	5	Apr. & Oct.	90	93
Dallas Lt. & Pr., '20	7	Feb. & Aug.	99½	100½
E. Texas Elec. 1st, '42	5	May & Nov.	82	88
Econ. Lt. & P. 1st, '56	5	June & Dec.	93	98
Eliz. & Trenton, '62	5	Apr. & Oct.	..	82
El Paso Elec. coll., '32	5	Jan. & July	82	90
Ex. Springs Water, G. & Elec. 1st, '32	6	June & Dec.	90	95
Fall River El. Lt., '20	7	Jan. & July	99¾	100½
Gal.-Hous. El. 1st, '54	5	Apr. & Oct.	77	83
Gal. Elec. 1st 5s, '40	5	May & Nov.	77	83
Gas & Elec. of Bergen County cons., '49	5	June & Dec.	90	..
Gen. Gas & El. 1st, '32	5	Jan. & July	45	65
Gt. West. Pwr. 1st, '46	5	Jan. & July	83	87
Harwood Elec. 1st, '39	5	Jan. & July	95	..
Houston Elec. 1st, '25	5	Feb. & Aug.	93	95
Hudson Co. Gas, '49	5	May & Nov.	92	94
Jersey City, Hob. & P. St. Ry. 1st, '49	4	May & Nov.	60	63
K. C. Long D. T., '25	5	Jan. & July	82	83
K. C. Home T. 1st, '23	5	Jan. & July	87	89
Knoxville Trac., '38	5	Apr. & Oct.	91	100
Merch. H. & Lt., '22	5	Apr. & Oct.	90	95
Middle West Util., '25	6	Jan. & July	88	93
Miss. R. Power 1st, '51	5	Jan. & July	75	77
Mobile Electric 1st, '46	5	May & Nov.	77	82
Musk. G. & E. 1st & ref., '26	5	June & Dec.	90	95
Nash. R. & L. 1st con., '58	5	Jan. & July	93	100
Do ref., '58	5	Jan. & July	65	75
Nev.-Cal. El. 1st 6s, '46	6	Jan. & July	91½	95½
Newark Gas, '48	5	June & Dec.	92	95
Newark Pass. Ry., '30	5	Jan. & July	92	95
No. Jer. St. Ry. 1st, '48	4	May & Nov.	62	65
N.Y. & Hob. Ferry, '46	5	June & Dec.	82	..
N. Y. & Westchester Lighting gen., 2004	4	Jan. & July	64	68
Niag. F. Pwr. 1st, '32	5	Jan. & July	..	96
Do ref., '32	6	Apr. & Oct.	100	101
N. Ont. L. & P. 1st, '31	6	Jan. & July	80	85
Norf. & Ports. Tr., '36	5	June & Dec.	79	82
Norf. Ry. & Lt., '49	5	May & Nov.	93	95
N. St. Pwr. 1st ref., '41	5	Apr. & Oct.	90	91
N. Tex. El. coll. tr., '40	5	Jan. & July	79	84
Nova Scotia T. & P., '46	5	June & Dec.	79	83
Omaha & C. Bluffs St. Ry. cons., '28	5	Jan. & July	75	82
Omaha & C. Bluffs St. Ry. & Bridge con., '28	5	Jan. & July	..	82
Ontario Power 1st, '43	5	Feb. & Aug.	89	91
Do deb., '21	6	Jan. & July	96	98
Ottum. R. & L. 1st, '24	5	Jan. & July	89	93
Pacific Gas & Elec. (Ariz.) 1st, '31	6	Jan. & July	85	92
Pensacola Elec. 1st, '31	5	Feb. & Aug.	81	85
Portland (Ore.) Ry. 1st, '30	5	May & Nov.	75	82
Portland R., L. & P., '42	5	Aug. & Feb.	70	77
Pot. El. Power 1st, '29	5	June & Dec.	96¼	..
Do cons., '36	5	Jan. & July	94½	96½
Pug. Sd. T., L. & P., '21	7	June & Dec.	98½	99½
Riverside T., '60	5	June & Dec.	..	80
Rutland R. & L. 1st, '46	5	Mar. & Sep.	..	65
St. Jos. (Mo.) R., L., H. & Power 1st, '37	5	May & Nov.	85	90
Salmon Riv. Pwr., '52	5	Feb. & Aug.	87	90
Seattle Elec. cons., '29	5	Feb. & Aug.	83	90
So. Cal. Edison gen., '39	5	Jan. & July	88	92
So. Jer. G. & E. 1st, '53	5	Mar. & Sep.	85	87
S. W. Pr. & Lt. 1st, '43	5	June & Dec.	85	88
Stand. Gas & El., '35	6	Apr. & Oct.	79	85
Sup. W., L. & P. 1st, '31	4	May & Dec.	70	..
Syracuse Lt. & P., '54	5	Jan. & July	70	74
Syracuse Light 1st, '51	5	June & Dec.	85	90
Tampa Electric 1st, '33	5	June & Dec.	88	92
United El. of N. J., '49	4	June & Dec.	71	72
Un. Lt. & Rys. 1st, '32	5	June & Dec.	85	87
Do deb., '26	6	May & Nov.	85	90
Unit. R. & E. cons., '49	4	Mar. & Sep.	76	77
Do income, '49	4	June & Dec.	54¾	55½
U. S. Pub. S. 1st, '27	6	Feb. & Aug.	85	92
United Util. conv., '43	6	Jan. & July	86	92
Wash., B. & A., '41	5	Mar. & Sep.	83	84
Washington Gas, '60	5	May & Nov.	98	99
Wash. R. & E. con., '51	4	Jan. & July	72	73
W. States G. & E., '27	6	June & Dec.	85	91
Wheel. Tr. 1st con., '31	5	Jan. & July	80	90

INDUSTRIAL BONDS.

SECURITIES.	Rate	When Payable.	Bid.	Asked.
Int. Cotton Mills, '20	7	Feb. & Aug.	99¾	100½
Lima Locomotive, '32	6	May & Nov.	96	99
Monon Coal 1st, '36	5	June & Dec.	62	66
Poch. Con. Coll. 1st, '57	5	Jan. & July	85	90
Rogers-Brown Iron 1st ref., '13-'40	5	Jan. & July	90	97
Wickwire Steel 1st, '34	6	May & Nov.	97	100

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

SECURITIES.	Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1918. Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack Elec. Pwr.	..	..	....	14	17
Do pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	70	73
Am. Gas & El. ($50)	2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	98	100
Do pf. ($50)	75c	Q	Nov 1, 18	44	47
Am. Light & Trac.	†5	Q	Nov 1, 18	243	245
Do pf.	1½	Q	Nov 1, 18	99	101
Am. Power & Light	1	Q	Dec 2, 18	50	55
Do. pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	75	77
Am. Public Utilities	¾	..	Jul 1, 14	..	25
Do. pf.	a1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	36	38
Am. W. Wks. & Elec.	..	..	....	6½	8
Do 1st pf.	1¾	Q	Nov 15,18	69	71
Do participating pf.	..	..	....	14	15
Bat. Rouge El. cum. pf.	3	S	Dec 2, 18	70	80
Buffalo Gen. Electric	2	Q	Dec 31,18	102	104
Cal. Electric Gen. pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	75	85
Capital Traction	1¼	Q	Oct 1, 18	87	88
Car. Power & Light	..	..	....	33	38
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	87	92
C. Miss. V. El. cum. pf	1½	Q	Dec 1, 18	..	45
Chas. Cons. Ry. ($50)	..	..	....	42	46
Cities Service	*½	M	Dec 1, 18	291	294
Do. pf.	½	M	Dec 1, 18	80	80½
Colorado Power	½	Q	Oct 15, 18	26	28
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Dec 15,18	96	100
Columbus Elec. pf.	3	S	Jul 15, 18	70	74
Com. Pwr., Ry. & Lt.	1	..	Nov 1, 17	20	21
Do. pf.	a1½	Q	Nov 1, 18	41	43
Conn. Power pf.	1½	Q	Dec 2, 18	72	76
Con. Trac. of N. J.	2	S	Jul 15, 18	60	63
Eastern Texas Elec.	2½	S	Jul 1, 18	50	53
Do. pf.	3	S	Jul 1, 18	70	74
Elec. Bond & Share pf.	1½	Q	Nov 1, 18	92	94
El Paso Electric	2½	Q	Dec 16,18	75	80
Essex & Hudson Gas	4	S	Dec 1, 18	110	120
Federal Light & Trac.	..	..	....	8	10
Do. pf.	1½	..	Sep 1, 14	42	43
Gal. & Hous. El. pf.	3	S	Sep 14,18	60	65
Gas & Elec. of Bergen	2½	S	Jul 1, 18	75	..
Illum. & Pr. Sec.	..	..	....	15	25
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Nov 15,18	85	95
Miss. River Pr. pf.	3	S	J. & J.	38	41
Nashville R. & L. pf.	1¼	Q	Oct 1, 18	50	60
Newark Con. Gas	2½	S	J. & J.	80	83
No. Ont. Light & Pwr.	..	..	....	11	15
Do. pf.	3	S	Jul 15, 18	53	56
No. States Power	1¾	..	Jan 20,18	62	63
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 21, 18	89	91
Nor. Texas Electric	2	Q	Dec 2, 18	57	62
Do. pf.	3	S	Sep 3, 18	70	75
Pacific Gas & Electric	1¼	..	Oct 15, 17	44	44½
Do. pf.	1½	Q	Nov 15,18	86	87
Pac. G. & E. (Ariz.) pf	1¾	Q	Oct 10, 18	80	90
Pac. Pr. & Lt. pf.	1¾	Q	Nov 1, 18	90	95
Republic Ry. & Light	1	..	Jul 15, 18	19	20
Do. pf.	1½	Q	Oct 15, 18	55	56
Southern Cal. Edison	1¾	Q	Nov 15,18	81	82
Do 1st pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 18	98	102
So Jersey G. & E. Tr.	4	S	Dec 1, 18	95	105
Standard Gas & Elec.	..	..	....	11	13
Do. pf.	1½	Q	Dec 16,18	32	34
Tampa Electric	2½	Q	Nov 15,18	107	110
Tenn. Ry., Lt. & Pwr.	..	..	....	3	4
Do. pf.	..	..	....	16	18
Tri-City R. & L. pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	78	82
United Light & Rys.	1	Q	Oct 1, 18	38	40
Do 1st pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	70	72
Un. Ry. & El. (Balt.)	50c	Q	Oct 15, 18	20¾	21½
United Utilities	..	..	....	10	20
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	80	90
Washington Gas	90c	Q	Nov 1, 18	54	55
Wash. Ry. & Electric	1½	Q	Dec 1, 18	50	53
Do. pf.	1¼	Q	Dec 1, 18	70	71
Western Power	..	..	....	15	16
Do. pf.	1	Q	Oct 15, 18	62	63
West. States Gas & E.	½	Q	Nov 15,18	15	25
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 18	70	80
Wisconsin Edison	$1½	..	Dec 30,17	30	35

*¾ payable in com. stock. †Incl. 2¼% payable in com. stock. ¶Incl. 3% extra. a—Payable in scrip.

BANKS.

SECURITIES.	Capital.	Per C't.	Period	Date.	Bid.	Asked.
America	$1,500,000	14	S	Jul 1, 18	500	515
Am. Exc. N.	5,000,000	a7	S	Nov 1, 18	224	230
Atlantic($100)	1,000,000	2½	Q	Oct 9, 18	170	180
Bk. of Cuba.	100,000	6	S	Jul 1, 18	180	..
Batt'y Pk. N.	400,000	†6	S	Jul 1, 18	190	200
Bowery	250,000	†6	Q	Nov 1, 18	400	410
B'w'y Cent'l.	100,000	..	..	....	135	145
Bronx Nat.	200,000	3	S	Jul 1, 18	160	170
Bronx Boro.	150,000	..	..	....	125	130
Bryant Park.	200,000	3	S	Jul 1, 18	145	155
Butch. & Dr. (Nat.) ($25)	300,000	3	..	Jul 1, 18	19	23
Chase Nat'l.	10,000,000	4	Q	Oct 1, 18	408	412
Ch.P. Nat.	3,500,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	245	250
Chelsea Ex.	400,000	3	..	Apr 1, 17	115	125
Chemic. Nat.	3,000,000	2½	B	Nov 1, 18	450	..
Citizens Nat.	2,550,000	2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	218	225
City (Nat'l)	25,000,000	5	S	Nov 1, 18	460	470
Coal & I. N.	1,000,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	220	..
Colonial	500,000	3	Q	Sep 30,18	400	..
Columbia	1,000,000	4	S	Dec 31,18	160	170
Comm. Exch.	200,000	10	S	Jul 1, 18	390	..
Commonw'th.	400,000	5	S	Nov 1, 18	195	205
Com. Nat.	25,000,000	2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	198	201
Contin'l ($75)	1,000,000	3½	S	Aug 1, 18	104	110
Corn Exch.	3,500,000	4	Q	Nov 1, 18	350	..
E.R Nat.($25)	250,000	2	..	Jun 1, 16	20	25
Europe	150,000	5	..	Jan 13,17	110	130
Fifth Av.	200,000	12½	Q	Oct 1, 18	1800	2200
Fifth Nat.	250,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	215	230
First Nat.	10,000,000	¶5	Q	Oct 1, 18	965	975
Garfield Nat.	1,000,000	3	Q	Sep 30,18	175	185
Gotham Nat.	200,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	200	212
Greenwich	500,000	4	Q	Sep 30,18	350	..
Hanover Nat	3,000,000	a8	Q	Oct 1, 18	735	745
Harriman N.	1,000,000	5	S	Jul 6, 18	245	..
Imp.& T.Nat.	1,500,000	12	S	Jul 1, 18	515	530
Irving Nat.	4,500,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	††275	280
Liberty Nat.	3,000,000	4¼	Q	Oct 1, 18	420	425
Lincoln Nat.	1,000,000	2½	Q	Nov 1, 18	250	275
Manh'n ($50)	2,500,000	†$2¼	Q	Oct 1, 18	180	190
Mech. & Met.	6,000,000	4	Q	Oct 15, 18	335	345
Mer. Nat. ($50)	2,000,000	$2	S	Jul 1, 18	125	130
Metropolitan.	2,000,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	180	..
Mutual	200,000	5	Q	Oct 1, 18	380	400
N. Netherl'd.	200,000	4	S	Oct 1, 18	200	215
N.Y.(N.B.A.)	2,000,000	10	S	Jul 1, 18	425	..
N.Y. Co. Nat.	1,000,000	10	..	Jan 2, 17	135	140
N.Y.Pro. Ex.	1,000,000	3	Q	Oct 15, 18	200	..
Pacific ($50)	500,000	$1	Q	Nov 1, 18	150	..
Public	1,000,000	3	Q	Sep 30,18	240	250
Park Nat.	5,000,000	5	Q	Oct 1, 18	540	..
People's ($25)	200,000	$1.25	S	Jul 1, 18	135	140
Seab'd Nat.	1,000,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	450	470
Second Nat.	1,000,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	400	425
Sherman Nat	500,000	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	125	135
State	2,000,000	3	S	Jul 1, 18	124	..
23d Ward	200,000	3	S	Aug 1, 18	115	130
Un. Ex. Nat.	1,000,000	4	S	Dec 31,18	150	155
Wash. Hgts.	100,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	275	..
Westch'r Av.	100,000	2	Q	Nov 1, 18	160	175
Yorkville	200,000	5	Q	Dec 31,18	300	325

*And 55% special. †Incl. 4% extra. ‡Incl. 50c extra. ††Includes one-third share Irving Trust Co. stock. ¶And 5% of First Security Co. a—Incl. 2% extra. c—Incl. 1% extra.

TRUST COMPANIES.

SECURITIES.	Capital.	Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1918. Bid.	Asked.
Bankers Tr.	11,250,000	5	Q	Dec 31,18	455	465
Brooklyn	1,500,000	5	Q	Oct 1, 18	510	530
Cent.-Union	12,500,000	5½	Q	Oct 1, 18	405	410
Columbia	5,000,000	*4	Q	Dec 31,18	312	315
Commercial	500,000	..	..	....	90	98
Empire	1,500,000	†3	Q	Dec 31,18	260	270
Empire rgts.	....	..	..	....	20	22
Equitable Tr.	6,000,000	¶5	Q	Dec 31,18	385	395
Far. L. & T.	5,000,000	4½	Q	Nov 1, 18	415	420
Fidelity	1,000,000	*2	Q	Dec 31,18	220	..
Franklin	1,000,000	3	Q	Sep 30,18	220	230
Fulton	500,000	7	S	Jul 1, 18	240	255
Guaranty	25,000,000	5	Q	Dec 31,18	367	375
Hamilton	500,000	3	Q	Nov 1, 18	265	270
Hudson Tr.	500,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	135	145
Irving Trust	1,500,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	‡	..
Kings Co.	500,000	6	Q	Nov 1, 18	630	650
Law. Title & Tr. Co.	4,000,000	1¼	Q	Oct 1, 18	95	103
Lincoln	1,000,000	1	Q	Nov 1, 18	110	..
Manufact'rs.	1,000,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	160	..
Metropolitan.	2,000,000	6	Q	Dec 31,18	345	..
New York	3,000,000	8	Q	Sep 30,18	595	610
N.Y.L.I. & T.	1,000,000	25	S	Dec 10,18	..	825
People's Tr.	1,000,000	4	Q	Dec 31,18	290	..
Q. Co., Jama.	600,000	..	..	....	65	75
Title G. & T.	5,000,000	5	Q	Dec 31,18	340	345
Transatlantic	700,000	3	..	Jan 2, 18	160	170
United States	2,000,000	25	S	Jul 2, 18	900	920
U. S. M. & T.	2,000,000	6	Q	Sep 30,18	430	440

*And 2% extra. †And 4% extra. ‡See Irving Nat. Bank. ¶And 5% extra, payable Jan. 10.

INSURANCE, REALTY, AND SURETY COMPANIES.

SECURITIES.	Capital.	Per C't.	Period	Date.	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Alliance	$1,000,000	7½	S	Jul 15,18	210	220
Am.Sur'y($50)	5,000,000	$1	Q	Dec 31,18	60	64
Bd. & Mtg.G.	5,000,000	4	Q	Nov 15,18	215	220
City of N. Y.	583,000	2	..	Jul 1, 18	105	130
Commonw'lth	500,000	5	S	Nov 1, 18	300	325
Continental	10,000,000	*2	S	Jul 10, 18	59	60½
Fidel. Phenix	2,500,000	12	S	Jul 10, 18	400	405
Globe & Rut.	700,000	¶10	Q	Oct 31,18	850	..
Great Amer.	2,000,000	15	S	J. & J.	328	337
Hanover ($50)	1,000,000	1¼	Q	Oct 1, 18	80	..
Home Fire	6,000,000	12½	S	J. & J.	450	..
Lawyers Mtg	6,000,000	2	Q	Dec 31,18	105	110
Mtg. Bond Co	2,000,000	1¾	Q	Dec 31,18	85	88
Nat. Lib.($50)	1,000,000	10	S	J. & J.	148	155
Nat. Surety	4,000,000	3	Q	Oct 1, 18	213	215
N.Y.T. & M.	2,125,000	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	77	82
Niagara ($50)	1,000,000	15	S	J. & J.	170	..
No.River($25)	600,000	5	S	A. & O.	39	40
Pacific ($25)	400,000	5	S	Jul 17, 18	35	45
Realty Asso.	4,000,000	3	S	Jul 15, 17	77	82
Stuyv't ($100)	700,000	3	..	Jan 1, 17	50	60
Westc'r ($10)	1,000,000	‡50c	Q	Nov 1, 18	32	33½

*And 1% extra. †Including 5% extra. ‡And 10c extra. ¶And 5% extra.

NEW YORK CITY TRACTIONS.

SECURITIES.	Capital.	Per C't.	Period	Date.	Bid.	Asked.
Bl'k'r St & F Ferry stock	$900,000	¾	S	J. & J.	21½	..
B'way&7thAv	2,100,000	2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	100	120
B'l'nC.R.($10)	12,000,000	25c	Q	Oct 15, 18	12¾	14
Ch. & 10th St	650,000	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	85	100
8th Av. R. R.	1,000,000	4	Q	Oct 15, 18	185	205
42d St & G.St	748,000	4½	Q	Nov 1, 18	175	200
Ninth Av.	800,000	2	Q	Oct 15, 18	90	120
6th Av. stock	2,000,000	1¾	Q	Oct 10, 18	82	95

INDUSTRIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

SECURITIES.	Per C't.	Period	Date.	Quotation Dec. 28, 1918. Bid.	Asked.
American Brass	*1½	Q	Nov 15,18	212	217
American Chicle	1½	..	Jan 20,16	60	62
Do pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	72	75
Amer. Typefounders	1	Q	Oct 15, 18	38	42
Atlas Powder	d5	Q	Dec 10,18	150	153
Do. pf.	1½	Q	Nov 1, 18	89	90½
Babcock & Wilcox	2	Q	Oct 3, 18	110	111½
Bord. Cond. Milk	4	S	Aug 15,18	96	98
Do. pf.	1½	Q	Dec 14,18	96	98
By Products Coke	1½	Q	Nov 15,18	115	118
Cardenas Am. Sug. pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	..	80
Celluloid	†4	Q	Dec 31,18	138	145
Central Aguirre Sugar	2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	162	165
Central Coal & Coke	1½	Q	Oct 15, 18	60	63
Certainteed Products	$4	..	Jan 28,18	36	38
Do 1st pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	86	88
Do 2d pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	74	78
Chi. Ry. Equipment	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	101	103
Childs	½	..	Sep 10,18	47	52
Do. pf.	1¾	Q	Dec 10,18	92	94
Columbia Graphophone	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	128	130
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	88	88½
Crocker-Wheeler	2	Q	Oct 15, 18	92	97
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 15, 18	98	101
Del., Lack. & W. Coal	$1¼	Q	Oct 15, 18	158	163
Eastman Kodak	a2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	500	..
Fajardo Sugar	2½	Q	Nov 1, 18	84	88
Federal Sugar	1¾	Q	Dec 17,18	91	95
Do pf.	1½	Q	Nov 1, 18	91	95
Gillette Safety Razor	h$2	Q	Nov 30,18	108	110
Great Western pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 2, 18	107	110
Guantanamo Sugar	$1¼	Q	Sep 30,18	51	53
Hercules Powder	†4	Q	Dec 24,18	201	204
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Nov 15,18	106½	108½
Ingersoll-Rand pf.	3	S	Jul 1, 18	97	101
Int. Silver	..	..	....	30	45
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	80	87
Lanston Monotype	1¼	Q	Nov 30,18	65¼	66
Manati Sugar	2½	Q	Dec 2, 18	90	96
Do pf.	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	88	95
Matanzas-Am.	..	..	....	8	15
Do pf.	..	..	....	70	80
Merg. Linotype	2½	Q	Dec 31,18	134	135
Midwest Refining	$1	Q	Nov 1, 18	121½	122½
Nat. Candy	2½	S	Sep 11,18	62	63
Do 1st pf.	3½	S	Sep 11,18	103	105
Do 2d pf.	3½	S	Sep 11,18	94	96
Nat. Sugar Refining	1¾	Q	Oct 1, 18	97	99
New Jersey Zinc	4	Q	Nov 9, 18	255	258
New Niquero Sugar	3½	S	Dec 2, 18	170	190
Niles-Bement-Pond	3	Q	Dec 20,18	105	110
Do pf.	1½	Q	Aug 20,18	98	104
Otis Elevator	1¼	Q	Oct 15, 18	60	64
Do pf.	1½	Q	Oct 15, 18	84	87
Procter & Gamble	1½	Q	Nov 15,18	730	800
Remington Typewriter	..	..	....	34	35
Do 1st pf.	1¾	..	Oct 1, 14	107	110
Do 2d pf.	2	..	Oct 1, 14	101	103
Royal Baking Powder	†4	Q	Dec 31,18	125	135
Do pf.	1½	Q	Dec 31,18	87	90
Safety Car H. & Ltg.	1½	Q	Dec 23,18	55	57
Santa Cecilia Sugar	..	..	....	17	21
Do pf.	3½	S	Aug 1, 18	50	55
Semet Solvay	2	Q	Nov 20,18	175	185
Shredded Wheat	2	Q	Oct 1, 18	118	122
Do pf.	1½	Q	Oct 1, 18	..	90
Singer Mfg.	2½	..	Jun 30,18	182	185
Texas & Pacific Coal	b1½	Q	Dec 30,18	1380	1410
Yale & Towne Mfg.	2½	Q	Oct 1, 18	210	220

*And 3½% extra. †Incl. 2% extra. ¶And $10 extra. a—And 2½% extra. b—And 5% extra. d—Incl. 3% extra. g—Incl. 1% extra. h—And $1 extra.

MONEY RATES

	On Call. High.	Low.	Last.	Renew'ls.
Dec. 23	5	4	5	4
Dec. 24	6	4½	6	4½
Dec. 25	Holiday—			
Dec. 26	6	6	6	6
Dec. 27	6	6	6	6
Dec. 28	6	6	6	6
Week's range—				
High			6	6
Low			4	4
Same week last year—				
High			6	6
Low			4½	5½
Year to date—				
High			6	6
Low			2	2
Same period last year—				
High			10	6
Low			1½	1½

	On Time. 60 Days.	90 Days.	6 Mos.
Dec. 23	6	6	6
Dec. 24	5 @5¼	5¼@5½	5¼@5½
Dec. 25	Holiday—		
Dec. 26	5¼	5¼@5½	5¼@5½
Dec. 27	5¼@5½	5¼@5½	5¼@5½
Dec. 28	5¼@5½	5¼@5½	5¼@5½
Week's range—			
High	6	6	6
Low	5	5¼	5¼
Same week last year—			
High		6	6
Low		4½	5¾
Year to date—			
High	6	6	6
Low	5	5¼	5¼
Same period last year—			
High	6	6	6
Low	2½	2½	2¾

Bank Acceptances.

Eligible for retirement with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days....4⅛@4¼
Nonmember and private bankers eligible, 60 to 90 days....4¼@4⅜
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days....5 @5½

Commercial Paper.

Best-Known Names.

30 to 90 days....5½@5¾
4 to 6 months....5½@5¾

Other Names.

4 to 6 months....5¾@6

DISCOUNT RATES—FEDERAL RESERVE BANK'S COMMERCIAL PAPER.

	Within 15 Days, Incl. Member Banks' Collateral Notes.	16 to 60 Days, Inclusive.	61 to 90 Days, Inclusive.
Boston	4	4¾	4¾
New York	4	4¾	4¾
Philadelphia	4	4¾	4¾
Cleveland	4¼	4¾	4¾
Richmond	4½	5	5
Atlanta	4	4¾	4¾
Chicago	4	4¾	5
St. Louis	4	4¾	4¾
Minneapolis	4½	4¾	5
Kansas City	4½	5	5
Dallas	4½	4¾	5
San Francisco	4½	5	5

The rate of 3 to 4½ per cent. for one-day discounts, in connection with the loan operations of the Government, is approved in the case of the New York district.

Secured by United States certificates of indebtedness or Liberty Loan bonds:

	Within 15 Days, Agricultural & Live Stock Paper, Over 90 Days.	Inc. Member Banks' Collateral Notes.	16 to 60 Days, Inclusive.
Boston	5	4	4¼
New York	5	4	4¼
Philadelphia	5	4	4¼
Cleveland	5¼	4	4¼
Richmond	5¼	4¼	4¼
Atlanta	5	4	4¼
Chicago	5⅛	4	4¼
St. Louis	5½	4	4¼
Minneapolis	5½	4¼	4¼
Kansas City	5½	4	4¼
Dallas	5¼	4	4¼
San Francisco	5½	4¼	4¼

Trade acceptances one to sixty days and sixty-one to ninety days at 4½ per cent.

Acceptances purchased in open market, minimum rate, 4 per cent.

Rates for commodity paper have been merged with those for commercial paper of corresponding maturities.

In case the sixty-day trade acceptance rate is higher than the fifteen-day discount rate, trade acceptances maturing within fifteen days will be taken at lower rate. Whenever application is made by member banks for renewal of fifteen-day paper, the Federal Reserve Banks may charge a rate not exceeding that for ninety-day paper of the same class.

EXCHANGE ON NEW YORK DOMESTIC CENTRES.

	Boston.	Chicago.	St. L.	San. F.
Dec. 23	Par	Par	*25@15c	Par
Dec. 24	Par	Par	*25@15c	Par
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 26	Par	Par	*25@15c	Par
Dec. 27	Par	Par	*25@15c	Par
Dec. 28	Par	Par	*25@15c	Par

*Discount.

LONDON MONEY AND DISCOUNTS.

	Money.	3 Mos.	Short Bills.	Exch. on London.
Dec. 23	3	3 17-32	3 17-32	25f 97½c
Dec. 24	3	3 17-32	3 17-32	25f 97½c
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 26	3	3 17-32	3 17-32	25f 97½c
Dec. 27	3	3 17-32	3 17-32	25f 97½c
Dec. 28	3	3 17-32	3 17-32	25f 97½c

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

	British Consol 2½s	British 4½s	Paris Rentes.
Dec. 23	59¼	99¼	61f 55c
Dec. 24	59⅛	99⅝	61f 55c
Dec. 25	Holiday.		
Dec. 26	Holiday.	..	61f 55c
Dec. 27	Holiday.	..	61f 55c
Dec. 28	Holiday.	..	61f 55c

BAR SILVER.

	London.	New York.
Dec. 23	48 7-16d	$1.01¼
Dec. 24	48 7-16d	1.01¼
Dec. 25	Holiday.	
Dec. 26	48 7-16d	1.01¼
Dec. 27	48 7-16d	1.01¼
Dec. 28	48 7-16d	1.01¼

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

LONDON.

	Demand. High.	Low.	Last.
Dec. 23	4.7580	4.7580	4.7580
Dec. 24	4.7580	4.7580	4.7580
Dec. 25	Holiday—		
Dec. 26	4.7580	4.7580	4.7580
Dec. 27	4.7575	4.7575	4.7575
Dec. 28	4.7575	4.7575	4.7575

	Cables. High.	Low.	Last.
Dec. 23	4.76 7-16	4.76 7-16	4.76 7-16
Dec. 24	4.76 7-16	4.76 7-16	4.76 7-16
Dec. 25	Holiday—		
Dec. 26	4.76 7-16	4.76 7-16	4.76 7-16
Dec. 27	4.7655	4.7655	4.7655
Dec. 28	4.7655	4.7655	4.7655

	Demand.	Cables.
Week's range—		
High	4.7580	4.76 7-16
Low	4.7555	4.7655
Same week last year—		
High	4.75 7-16	4.76 7-16
Low	4.75⅛	4.76 7-16
Year to date—		
High	4.76 1-16	4.77 1-16
Low	4.75¼	4.76 1-16
Same period last year—		
High	4.7590	4.77
Low	4.75	4.7643¾

PARIS.

	Demand. High.	Low.	Last.	Cables. High.	Low.	Last.
Dec. 23	5.45½	5.45¼	5.45¼	5.45	5.45	5.45
Dec. 24	5.45½	5.45½	5.45½	4.45	5.45	5.45
Dec. 25	Holiday—					
Dec. 26	5.45½	5.45½	5.45½	5.44⅞	5.44⅞	5.44⅞
Dec. 27	5.45⅝	5.45⅝	5.45⅝	5.44⅞	5.44⅞	5.44⅞
Dec. 28	5.45½	5.45½	5.45½	5.44⅞	5.44⅞	5.44⅞

	Demand.	Cables.
Week's range—		
High	5.45⅝	5.44⅞
Low	5.45½	5.45
Same week last year—		
High	5.73⅝	5.71¼
Low	5.73¾	5.71⅝
Year to date—		
High	5.38	5.37
Low	5.73⅞	5.71¾
Same period last year—		
High	5.68¼	5.67¼
Low	5.85⅝	5.84¾

	Switzerland, Dem.	Cables.	Holland. Dem.	Cables.	Italy. Dem.	Cables.
Dec. 23	4.84	4.81	42.375	42.625	6.36	6.35
Dec. 24	4.82	4.78	42.50	42.75	6.36	6.35
Dec. 25	Holiday					
Dec. 27	4.79	4.75	42.50	42.75	6.36	6.35
Dec. 27	4.80	4.77	42.50	42.75	6.36	6.35
Dec. 28	4.80	4.77	42.62½	42.87½	6.36	6.35
Week's range—						
High	4.79	4.75	42.62½	42.87½	6.36	6.35
Low	4.84	4.81	42.375	42.625	6.36	6.35
Same week last year—						
High	4.36	4.34	43.75	44.00	8.33	8.32
Low	4.38½	4.36¼	43.25	43.62½	8.39¼	8.38
Year to date—						
High	3.89	3.85	52.375	52.8125	6.35¾	6.35
Low	5.07	5.05	41.25	41.50	9.15½	9.14
Same period last year—						
High	4.30	4.25¼	45.50	45.75	6.70	6.69
Low	5.16½	5.15¾	40.75	40.81¼	8.97	8.96

SCANDINAVIA.

	Copenhagen. Dem.	Cables.	Stockholm. Dem.	Cables.	Christiania. Dem.	Cables.
Dec. 23	26.80	27.10	29.25	29.50	28.00	28.25
Dec. 24	26.875	27.125	29.20	29.45	28.00	28.25
Dec. 25	Holiday					
Dec. 26	26.75	27.05	29.00	29.40	27.90	28.15
Dec. 27	26.80	27.05	29.10	29.35	27.95	28.20
Dec. 28	26.87½	27.125	29.10	29.35	27.95	28.15
Week's range—						
High	26.875	27.125	29.25	29.50	28.00	28.25
Low	26.75	27.05	29.10	29.35	27.90	28.15
Same week last year—						
High	32.70	33.00	34.25	34.75	33.25	33.75
Low	31.50	31.87½	33.25	33.75	32.25	33.25
Year to date—						
High	31.50	32.00	36.00	36.40	32.75	33.25
Low	26.25	26.60	27.20	27.50	26.60	26.90
Same period last year—						
High	36.80	37.16	45.50	46.00	36.00	36.50
Low	27.00	27.35	29.90	29.80	27.25	27.625

	Greece. Dem.	Cables.	Rubles, 100. Bid.	Ask.	Rubles, 500. Bid.	Ask.
Dec. 23	19.35	19.45	16.35	16.40	16.25	16.35
Dec. 24	19.35	19.45	16.40	16.70	16.30	16.60
Dec. 25	Holiday					
Dec. 26	19.35	19.45	16.40	16.70	16.30	16.60
Dec. 27	19.35	19.40	16.00	16.20	15.90	16.10
Dec. 28	19.35	19.40	16.20	16.20	15.90	16.10
Week's range—						
High	19.35	19.45	16.40	16.70	16.30	16.60
Low	19.35	19.40	16.00	16.20	15.90	16.10
Same week last year—						
High	19.40	19.45	13.00	13.40		
Low	19.40	19.45	12.25	12.50		
Year to date—						
High	19.45	19.50	24.90	24.80		
Low	19.35	19.40	11.00	11.25		
Same period last year—						
High	20.05	20.65	29.90	29.50		
Low	19.40	19.45	11.75	12.00		

CHINA.

	Hongkong. Dem.	Cables.	Peking. Dem.	Cables.	Shanghai. Dem.	Cables.
Week's range—						
High	81.00	81.25	131.50	131.75	123.00	123.25
Low	81.00	81.25	131.50	131.75	123.00	123.25
Same week last year—						
High	74.00	74.25	113.00	113.25	106.00	106.25
Low	74.00	74.25	113.00	113.25	106.00	106.25
Year to date—						
High	91.50	91.75	145.50	145.75	135.50	135.75
Low	71.25	71.50	109.50	109.75	102.50	102.75
Same period last year—						
High	82.00	82.25	129.00	129.25	122.00	122.25
Low	55.00	55.10	85.50	85.62½	80.00	80.12½

	INDIA. Bombay. Dem.	Cab's.	Calcutta. Dem.	Cab's.	PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Manila. Dem.	Cab's.
Week's range—						
High	35.43	35.73	35.43	35.73	49.875	50.00
Low	35.43	35.73	35.43	35.73	49.875	50.00
Same week last year—						
High	34.50	34.75	34.50	34.75	50.00	50.125
Low	34.50	34.75	34.50	34.75	50.00	50.125
Year to date—						
High	36.75	37.00	36.75	37.00	49.875	50.00
Low	35.00	35.50	35.00	35.50	49.875	50.00
Same period last year—						
High	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	50.25	50.50
Low	32.75	33.00	32.75	33.00	50.00	50.125

	SPAIN. Dem.	Cables.	JAPAN. Kobe. Dem.	Cables.	Yokohama. Dem.	Cables.
Week's range—						
High	20.05	20.15	53.25	53.50	53.25	53.50
Low	20.00	20.10	53.25	53.50	53.25	53.50
Same week last year—						
High	24.40	24.50	51.75	52.00	51.75	52.00
Low	24.12	24.18	51.75	52.00	51.75	52.00
Year to date—						
High	28.40	28.625	54.75	54.875	54.75	54.875
Low	19.75	19.85	51.90	52.00	51.90	52.00
Same period last year—						
High	24.40	24.90	52.25	52.50	52.25	52.50
Low	21.80	21.90	50.75	50.87½	50.75	50.87½

SOUTH AMERICA.

	Buenos Aires. Demand.	Cables.	Rio. Demand.	Cables.
Week's range—				
High	45.10	45.25	26.60	26.75
Low	45.10	45.25	26.60	26.75
Same week last year—				
High	47.10	47.25	26.90	27.00
Low	46.22	46.32	26.65	26.75
Year to date—				
High	46.21	46.31	27.04	27.20
Low	43.72	43.82	22.90	23.00
Same period last year—				
High	47.65	47.75	27.25	27.37½
Low	42.76	42.86	23.50	23.60

WEEK'S PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO.

WHEAT.—Dealings discontinued.

CORN.	Dec. High.	Low.	Jan. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	1.49	1.48	1.40¼	1.38⅛
Dec. 24	..	..	1.39⅞	1.38⅞
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 26	1.51	1.49¼	1.42	1.38¼
Dec. 27	1.58¼	1.52¼	1.44	1.42
Dec. 28	1.60	1.57¼	1.48¼	1.41¼
Week's range	1.60	1.48	1.44	1.38¼

	Feb. High.	Low.	March. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	1.36⅞	1.35¼	1.36¼	1.34⅝
Dec. 24	1.36⅝	1.35¼	1.35¼	1.34¼
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 26	1.37⅞	1.34⅞	1.36⅞	1.34
Dec. 27	1.39¼	1.38	1.38⅛	1.36⅜
Dec. 28	1.38⅞	1.36⅞	1.36½	1.35⅛
Week's range	1.39⅞	1.34⅞	1.38⅛	1.34

	May. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	1.36¼	1.34½
Dec. 24	1.35⅞	1.34⅛
Dec. 25	Holiday.	
Dec. 26	1.36½	1.33⅞
Dec. 27	1.38⅛	1.36⅞
Dec. 28	1.37	1.35⅛
Week's range	1.38⅛	1.33⅞

OATS.	Dec. High.	Low.	Jan. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	70⅛	69⅝	70⅞	69⅛
Dec. 24	69⅛	68⅝	70	68½
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 26	68⅛	67¼	68⅝	67½
Dec. 27	69¼	68⅝	69⅝	68¼
Dec. 28	69⅛	68¼	69⅜	68⅝
Week's range	70⅛	67¼	70⅞	67½

	Feb. High.	Low.	March. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	70⅞	69⅝	71⅛	69⅝
Dec. 24	69⅞	68⅝	69⅝	68⅝
Dec. 25	Holiday.			
Dec. 26	69¼	67⅜	69	67⅞
Dec. 27	70	68⅞	70¼	69¼
Dec. 28	69⅞	68⅝	69⅞	68⅝
Week's range	70⅞	67⅜	71⅛	67⅞

	May. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	71⅛	69⅝
Dec. 24	70¼	68⅝
Dec. 25	Holiday.	
Dec. 26	69¼	67⅞
Dec. 27	70⅜	69⅜
Dec. 28	70¼	69⅛
Week's range	71⅛	67⅞

Provisions.

LARD.	Jan. High.	Low.	May. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	24.00	23.87	24.12	23.92
Dec. 24	23.87	23.80	24.10	24.00
Dec. 25	Holiday			
Dec. 26	..	..	23.90	23.80
Dec. 27	23.95	23.87	24.02	23.85
Dec. 28	23.90	23.75	24.00	23.87
Week's range	24.00	23.75	24.12	23.80

RIBS.	Jan. High.	Low.	May. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	..	..	23.70	23.50
Dec. 24	25.15	25.00	23.80	23.70
Dec. 25	Holiday			
Dec. 26	24.85	24.82	23.70	23.50
Dec. 27	25.10	25.05	23.72	23.50
Dec. 28	..	..	23.75	23.65
Week's range	25.15	24.82	23.80	23.50

PORK.	May. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	42.75	42.40
Dec. 24	43.05	42.90
Dec. 25	Holiday	
Dec. 26	42.60	42.45
Dec. 27	42.90	42.60
Week's range	43.05	42.40

NEW YORK.

COTTON.

	Dec. High.	Low.	Jan. High.	Low.	Mar. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	31.50	30.20	29.45	28.80	28.40	27.78
Dec. 24	32.00	31.00	29.90	29.05	28.75	27.80
Dec. 25	Holiday.					
Dec. 26	..	..	30.30	29.65	29.10	28.48
Dec. 27	..	..	29.71	29.28	28.50	26.83
Dec. 28	..	..	30.00	28.98	28.60	27.70
Wk's range	32.00	30.20	30.30	28.80	29.10	26.83

	May. High.	Low.	July. High.	Low.	Oct. High.	Low.
Dec. 23	27.52	27.60	26.96	26.20	24.45	23.75
Dec. 24	27.85	27.14	27.30	26.70	24.05	24.40
Dec. 25	Holiday.					
Dec. 26	28.36	27.65	27.76	27.00	25.35	24.70
Dec. 27	28.75	27.13	27.06	26.58	24.85	24.20
Dec. 28	27.75	26.80	27.10	26.25	24.70	24.00
Wk's range	28.75	26.80	27.76	26.20	25.35	23.75

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alpha	.02	Jacket	.06
Andes	.03	Mexican	.02
Best & Belcher	.01	Occidental	.40
Bullion	.01	Ophir	.02
Caledonia	.01	Overman	.01
Challenge Con.	.03	Potosi	.03
Confidence	.05	Sierra Nevada	.08
Con. Virginia	.05	Union Con.	.03
Hale & Norcross	.01	Utah	.77½

TONOPAH.		Booth	.13
Belmont	2.50	Florence	.12
Cash Boy	.07	Goldfield Cons.	.23
Gold Zone	.10	Goldfield Merger	.06
Halifax	.15	Great Bend	.04
Jim Butler	.35	Jumbo Exten.	.12
McNamara	.31	Kewanas	.06
Midway	.19	Lone Star	.06
Mizpah	.05	Silver Pick	.05
Monarch Pitts.	.07	Spearhead	.21
Montana	.13	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
North Star	.07	Manhattan Cons.	.04
Rescue	.0	Nevada Hills	.06
Tonopah Divide	1.35	Packard	.31
Tonopah Exten.	2.00	Rochester	.36
West End	1	Round Mountain	.24
West Tonopah	.17	United Eastern	4.40
GOLDFIELD.		White Caps	.09
Atlanta	.04		

COLORADO SPRINGS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Cresson	5	5½	Isabella	6⅞	7¼
Dr. J'pot.	4¼	5	McKinney	7	16
Elkton	6	8	Portland	100	110
El Paso	14	20	U. Gold M.	14½	16
Golden C.	175	176	Vindicator	44½	50
Granite	18⅝	..	Rose Nicol.	13½	13⅞

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Forecast:

N. C. and S. C.—Fair, warmer Mon.; Tues. rain and warmer.

Ga.—Fair, warmer Mon., rain at night and Tues.; warmer Tues. in s. e.

Fla.—Fair, warmer Mon.; Tues. fair in c. and s., rain in n., warmer on Peninsula; colder extreme n. w.

Ala. and Miss.—Partly cloudy and warmer Mon., rain at night or Tues.; colder Tues.

Tenn.—Fair, warmer Mon., rain at night or Tues., possibly changing to snow Tues.; colder Tues.

Ky.—Fair, warmer Mon., rain at night or Tues., probably changing to snow Tues., with falling temp.

Ind.—Fair, warmer Mon.; Tues. rain or snow and colder.

Lower Mich.—Cloudy Mon., probably snow in extreme n. e.; Tues. snow and colder.

Upper Mich.—Snow Mon., cooler at night; Tues. snow, much colder.

Ohio—Fair, somewhat warmer Mon.; Tues. rain or snow, colder in afternoon or night.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

PACIFIC BANK,

New York, N. Y., Dec. 27th, 1918.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank for the election of directors will be held at the banking rooms, No. 78 Madison Avenue, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1919, at twelve o'clock, noon. The polls will be open from 12 M. to 1 P. M.

SNOWDEN McGAUGHY, Cashier.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKholders of the Arrow Novelty Co., Inc., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting will be held at the office of the Company, No. 108 E. 16th Street, New York, on Wednesday, January 15th, 1919, at 12 noon.

New York, Dec. 30, 1918.

JOHN J. POHLEY, Sec'y.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of OSTRANDER & CO., INC., will be held at the office of the Company, 15-17 THOMAS STREET, NEW YORK CITY, January 13th, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such business as may come before said meeting.

H. H. ROCKWELL, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE Secretary of State, ss.:

This certificate, issued in duplicate, hereby certifies that the "STA-WITE" PRODUCTS CORPORATION, a domestic stock corporation, has filed in this office on this 26th day of December, 1918, papers for the voluntary dissolution of such corporation under Section 221 of the General Corporation Law, and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with said section in order to be dissolved.

Witness my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the City of Albany, this twenty-sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

[Seal.]

A. B. PARKER,
Deputy Secretary of State.

THE UNDERSIGNED, COMPOSING THE firm of GILLESPIE, LIVINGSTON & CO., doing business at 44 Wall Street, New York City, hereby announce that the firm will be dissolved by mutual consent on December 31st, 1918.

LAWRENCE L. GILLESPIE.
ROBERT L. LIVINGSTON.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE ZONE SUPPLY OFFICER, BASE Sorting Plant Division, 505 Pearl St., New York City.—Sealed proposals will be received here until 11 A. M., January 8th, 1919, for the sale of approximately 2,375,000 lbs. of O. D. Woolen Clippings, carefully sorted and baled in the following grades: Overcoating Clips (Melton,) Worsted Suiting, Wool Suiting (Flannel,) Wool Shirting (Cotton Carded,) Cotton Warp Worsted Shirting, Cotton Warp Jerkin Lining, Punchings, Stripped Black Edges, Worsted Clips (Cotton Edges.) Proposals for any class of supplies or materials mentioned will be received. Further information upon application.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING.—U. S. Engineer Office, Jacksonville, Fla. Sealed proposals will be received here until 12 M., Jan. 28, 1919, and then opened, for dredging in Key West Harbor. Further information on application.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

CENTRAL UNION TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Central Union Trust Company of New York, for the election of ten Trustees of said Company of the class of 1922, and three Inspectors of the next succeeding election, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 54 Wall Street, in the City of New York, on Thursday, January 9, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon. Polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

M. FERGUSON, Secretary.

December 27, 1918.

IRVING NATIONAL BANK

New York, December 14, 1918.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it will be held in the banking rooms, No. 233 Broadway, Tuesday, January 14th, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, the polls to be open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer books will be closed from 12 o'clock noon January 11th, 1919, until 10 o'clock A. M. January 15, 1919.

J. F. BOUKER, Cashier.

New York City, N. Y.,
December 16th, 1918.

To the stockholders of the Beau-Site Company:

The Annual Meeting of stockholders of the Beau-Site Company (operating the Biltmore Hotel) for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting will be held at the office of the Company at the Biltmore Hotel on Monday, January 13th, 1919, at three o'clock P. M.

EUGENE D. MILLER, Secretary.

New York, December 30, 1918.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Commonwealth Bank, New York, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year, and for any other business proper to come before said meeting, will be held on Tuesday, January 14th, 1919, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 12 o'clock noon, at the Banking Room, 190 Bowery, New York City.

ALBERT C. FUCHS, Cashier.

CHASE SECURITIES CORPORATION.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of Chase Securities Corporation will be held at the office of the Corporation, No. 61 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of January, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

WILLIAM P. HOLLY, Secretary.

LAWYERS TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY.

160 Broadway.
New York, December 23, 1918.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Company will be held on Wednesday, January 8th, 1919, at two P. M., at the office of the Company, 160 Broadway, New York, for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

WALTER N. VAIL, Secretary.

United States Trust Company of New York.

45 Wall Street, Dec. 20, 1918.

An election for trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expires, and for inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of this Company on the second day of January next, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Sec'y.

BANK OF EUROPE.

New York, December 18, 1918.

The annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of Directors of the Bank of Europe will be held at its Banking Rooms, No. 1,429 First Avenue, New York City, on Tuesday, January 14, 1919, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board of Directors.

VINCENT W. WOYTISEK, Cashier.

DIVIDENDS.

THE KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

No. 25 Broad St., New York, Dec. 17, 1918.

A quarterly dividend of ONE (1) PER CENT. has this day been declared upon the Preferred Stock of this Company, from net income of the current fiscal year, payable January 15, 1919, to stockholders of record at 3:00 o'clock P. M. December 31, 1918; provided that on or before the first-mentioned date there shall have been received from the United States Government a sum sufficient, in the opinion of the President, to pay the same, and that otherwise the said dividend shall be payable at a later date if, as, and when such sum shall be so received.

Checks in payment of the dividend, when due, will be mailed to stockholders at the addresses last furnished to the Transfer Agent.

G. C. HAND, Secretary.

THE J. G. WHITE MANAGEMENT CORPORATION
43 Exchange Place, New York
MANAGERS
CARDENAS-AMERICAN SUGAR COMPANY

The Board of Directors of CARDENAS-AMERICAN SUGAR COMPANY has declared a regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREE QUARTERS PER CENT (1¾%) on the outstanding preferred stock of the Company for the quarter ending December 31, 1918, payable Thursday, January 2, 1919, to stockholders of record at the close of business Thursday, December 26, 1918.

T. W. MOFFAT, Treasurer.

UNITED VERDE EXTENSION MINING COMPANY.
Dividend No. 11 and Extra.

233 Broadway, New York, Dec. 17th, 1918.

The Board of Directors of the United Verde Extension Mining Company has this day declared a quarterly dividend of fifty cents per share and an extra dividend of twenty-five cents per share on the outstanding capital stock, payable February 1st, 1919, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 3rd, 1919. Stock transfer books will not close.

C. P. SANDS, Treasurer.

GARFIELD NATIONAL BANK

Fifth Avenue and Twenty-third Street,
New York, December 24, 1918.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day, a quarterly dividend of Three Per Cent. upon the Capital Stock of the bank was declared, payable, free of City and State tax, on and after December 31, 1918.

The Transfer Books will be closed until Thursday, January 2, 1919.

A. W. SNOW, Cashier.

COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY,

60 Broadway.
New York, December 19, 1918.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Quarterly Dividend of Four per cent. and an Extra Dividend of Two per cent. out of the earnings for 1918, on the Capital Stock of this Company, payable December 31, 1918, to Stockholders of record at the close of business December 20, 1918.

The Transfer Books will not close.

L. W. WIGGIN, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The payment of coupons and the transfer of stock of this Company heretofore made at its office, No. 60 Wall Street, New York, will, on and after December 16, 1918, be made by

COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY,
60 Broadway, New York City.

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & WESTERN RAILROAD CO.

WALTER L. ROSS, Receiver.

THE AMERICAN SHIP BUILDING CO.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the American Ship Building Co., held on December 27, 1918, a regular dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. and an extra dividend of two and one-quarter per cent., aggregating four per cent., on the common stock were declared payable in cash February 1st, 1919, to common stockholders of record January 15, 1919.

THE MUTUAL BANK,

49-51 West 33d Street, New York.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of this bank, held December 12th, 1918, a quarterly dividend of Five Per Cent. was declared on the capital stock of this bank, payable January 2nd, 1919, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 26th, 1918.

HUGH N. KIRKLAND, Cashier.

AMERICAN CHICLE COMPANY,
COMMON STOCK DIVIDEND.

New York, December 27, 1918.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a dividend of one per cent. (1%), payable February 1, 1919, to stockholders of record at 12 o'clock noon on January 18 next.

M. D. BROMBERG,
Secretary.

HOWE SOUND COMPANY.

New York, Dec. 20, 1918.

The Board of Directors of the Howe Sound Company have declared a quarterly dividend of Five Cents per share upon the outstanding capital stock of the Company, payable January 15, 1919, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31, 1918.

W. J. WALWORTH, Secretary.

THE BANK OF AMERICA.

New York, Dec. 20th, 1918.

The Board of Directors has today declared a semi-annual dividend of fifteen (15) per cent., free of tax, payable January 2nd, 1919, to stockholders of record of this date.

The transfer books will remain closed until January 3rd, 1919.

W. M. BENNET, Cashier.

EMERY & BEERS COMPANY INC.

The Semi-Annual 8% dividend on the Preferred Stock of Emery & Beers Company, Inc., will be paid on January 2d, 1919, to preferred stockholders of record at the end of business on December 31st, 1918.

GEORGE A. WEINMAN, Secretary.
December 28th, 1918.

THE PIERCE-ARROW MOTOR CAR CO.

A quarterly dividend of $1.25 per share has been declared on the common stock of this Company, payable February 1, 1919, to stockholders of record January 15, 1919.

WALTER C. WRYE, Treasurer.

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FINANCIAL NOTICES.

International Traction Company

TO HOLDERS OF COLLATERAL TRUST FOUR PER CENT. GOLD BONDS:

The undersigned have filed with the GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY of New York, as Depositary, and the CITY TRUST COMPANY of Buffalo, N. Y., as its Agent, a Protective Agreement, duly executed, under date of December 10, 1918, and have issued a letter containing information with reference to the affairs of the International Traction Company and International Railway Company. Copies of the agreement and the letter may be obtained from the Depositary or its Agent, or from the Secretary or counsel of the Committee.

The default of the International Railway Company in the payment of interest upon its Five Per Cent. Refunding and Improvement Bonds, which occurred November 1, 1918, still continues. The period of grace provided in the mortgage securing said bonds within which said default may be cured will expire February 1, 1919. Thereafter, the default continuing, holders of said bonds will have the right to compel the foreclosure of said mortgage.

The emergency which now exists makes it imperative that for their own protection holders of the above mentioned bonds of International Traction Company should organize at once for united action under a Committee having adequate power and authority to deal with any situation which may arise.

To this end you are urged to deposit your bonds under the above mentioned Protective Agreement at the earliest possible day.

Bonds may be deposited with the GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY of New York, Depositary, at 140 Broadway, New York City, 32 Lombard Street, E. C., London, or Rue des Italiens 1 & 3, Paris, or with the CITY TRUST COMPANY, Agent for the Depositary, at Erie County Bank Building, Buffalo, N. Y., until the close of business on January 10, 1919.

Depositors will be entitled to receive certificates of deposit issued in their names.

Registered bonds must be accompanied by proper instruments of assignment, and coupon bonds must be accompanied by all coupons maturing on or after January 1, 1919.

ELLIOTT C. McDOUGAL,
Chairman.
JACOB GOULD SCHURMAN,
THOMAS DEWITT CUYLER,
THOMAS E. MITTEN,
Protective Committee.

SIMPSON, THACHER & BARTLETT,
JOSEPH G. DUDLEY, Counsel.
A. F. HALSTED, Secretary, 62 Cedar Street, New York, N. Y.
December 23, 1918.

To Holders of Cities Service Company

Series B, Seven Per Cent. Convertible Gold Debentures

Holders of the above Debentures will be permitted to convert, on or after January 1st, 1919, ten per centum (10%) of the aggregate principal amount of the above Debentures owned by them respectively on December 1st, 1918. Conversion may be requested by such owners at any date after January 1st, 1919, and upon delivery of the Debentures so desired to be converted (properly endorsed, if registered) to Messrs. Henry L. Doherty & Company, fiscal agents, such Debentures will be converted into Cities Service Company Preferred and Common stocks on the basis set forth in said Debentures, certificates for which stocks will be issued and transmitted to such owners in the amounts respectively due.

Henry L. Doherty & Company
Fiscal Agents for Cities Service Co.
60 Wall Street, New York City.
Dated, January 1, 1919.

Washington Utilities Company

The undersigned as Trustee under Trust Indenture, dated June 1st, 1917, of the Washington Utilities Company, hereby invites offers for the sale to it, as such Trustee, of 5% Collateral Trust Gold Notes, extended at 6%, of the said Washington Utilities Company, secured by the said Indenture at a purchase price not exceeding par and accrued interest, and in the amount not exceeding $10,899.59. Offers in writing will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock noon, January 15th, 1919. The right is reserved to reject any and all offers.

METROPOLITAN TRUST COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Trustee.
60 Wall Street, New York.
Dated, December 20, 1918.

STONE CRUSHERS IN $2,650,000 MERGER

Faith in Peacetime Building Program Brings Deal to Speedy Close.

EIGHT PLANTS INVOLVED

Symbolical of Tendency on Part of Great Financial Interests to Cut Costs.

Putting into effect practical efforts to cut cost of construction to consumers a $2,650,000 merger of eight great stone-crushing plants supplying this market will be perfected his week.

The deal has been brought to a head because of the faith that every building material interest has in the vast market that lies directly ahead of building and road contractors. It involves seven plants located at various points along the Hudson River and one at East Haven, Conn.

The new company is to be known as the New York Trap Rock Corporation and will have headquarters at 101 Park Avenue, New York, with Nathaniel D. Lancaster, President; Mortimer D. Wandell, Vice President; James J. Shaw, Vice President; R. W. Jones, Jr., Treasurer, and R. E. Desbernini, Secretary. The Directors are to be Wilson P. Foss, long identified with the crushed stone interests of New York; John E. Mead, ex-Governor of Vermont; Nathaniel D. Lancaster, Mortimer D. Wandell, James J. Shaw, William A. Barber, R. W. Jones of McB. Jones & Co., 120 Broadway, bankers; C. C. Dickson, and J. J. Williams. The financial interests in the enterprise were represented by R. W. Jones of New York, who issued the following statement late Saturday:

"The completion of negotiations for the acquisition of these important crushed stone properties is the culmination of a general belief in the great future for building and road construction and the imperative necessity for transacting business without regard to kind along intensive lines. Under the unification of these plants much can be accomplished in putting the building market in more stable condition.

"The capitalization will be $2,650,000, divided into $750,000 in first preferred cumulative bonds, $400,000 in second preferred non-cumulative bonds, and the remainder in common stock. Incorporation will be under the laws of the State of New York."

The two principal companies involved in the transaction are the New York Trap Rock Company, now at 17 Battery Place, and the Upper Hudson Blue Stone Company, at 26 Cortlandt Street. Except for the plant of Calvin Tompkins at Tompkins Cove, the combination practically embraces all the stone crushing establishments supplying this market through either the North or East Rivers.

Simultaneous with this announcement other road building interests began to prepare for the coming movement in road work and building construction. The tar and oil interests announced that road contractors could rely upon prices running about the same as present levels, and there is every indication before the next month elapses the various boards of freeholders and County Supervisors will have passed enabling legislation to permit road improvement work to start very early in the Spring.

The prospects for road construction and improvement this coming year are far beyond the programs of other years in scope and character of construction. The current quotation on crushed stone is approximately $1.85 a cubic yard, whereas one year ago the price was $1.65, and the year before that $1.20 and a normal rate of about 80 cents a yard.

Important changes are to develop within the next ten days in the matter of facilitating architects and others in estimating new construction work as a result of efforts on the part of contractors, building material manufacturers, and dealers alike to bring about a market that can be relied upon by those who contemplate construction. The building market at present is almost entirely stagnated by reason of strikes and lockouts of labor in the building trades, but there is a volume of prospective work on architects' boards that indicates a gradual resumption of construction running through the coming year. The efforts to bring about more stable conditions in the building material price market have already brought out some commercial mortgage money, but speculative building financing probably will be deferred until after the first of July, by which time the volume of construction then moving may be determined. Space released by the Government is being snapped up quickly, which has had a strengthening effect upon the commercial construction market.

Common brick prices seem to be firmly established at the $15 level, where they probably will remain until the end of the Winter, according to the Dow Service Daily Building Reports. Covering charges, representing approximately $1 a thousand, are being carried generally by the dealer, who, to save expense, is keeping them on barges instead of stacking brick in his yard under the present high cost of stacking.

The year closes with many important changes in store, probably the most important of which is that of the merger of the various stone crushing interests. Wartime money is seeking new peace time channels for investment, and the ragged conditions under which building materials have been handled in this market, from manufacturing plant to consumer in the past, is likely to receive attention before very long from big business interests concerned with American industries.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF EMIL GROSSMAN MANUFACTURING CORPORATION.

Pursuant to decree of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York, in a cause therein pending, entitled "American Tube & Stamping Company, complainant, against Emil Grossman Manufacturing Corporation, defendant," all persons, firms or corporations claiming to be creditors of Emil Grossman Manufacturing Corporation shall file or cause to be filed on or before February 10, 1919, duly verified proofs of claim with Patrick E. Callahan, Esq., of 32 Court St., Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, who is appointed by said decree Special Master for that purpose, and to examine and report to the Court as to the allowance or disallowance of claims and as to other matters as in said decree provided, and all persons, firms and corporations claiming to be creditors of defendant who shall not so file their verified proofs of claim on or before that date, shall be adjudged not to hold or have any valid claims against defendant entitled to participate in the distribution of the assets of defendant or the proceeds thereof in this proceeding and shall be perpetually barred and enjoined from enforcing any claim against defendant.

Dated December 30, 1918.

FINANCE AND TRADING CORPORATION, Liquidator.

CURTIS MALLET-PREVOST & COLT, 15 Broad Street, New York City.

ROSENBERG & BALL, 74 Broadway, New York City, Solicitors.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

SURROGATE'S COURT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.—In the Matter of the Estate of ROBERT B. VAN CORTLANDT, Deceased.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. William A. Sawyer, Surrogate of the County of Westchester, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Robert B. Van Cortlandt, late of the Town of Bedford, County of Westchester, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers at their place of transacting business, at the office of Kean, Taylor & Co., No. 5 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 15th day of January, 1919.

Dated July 3rd, 1918.

JAMES B. LUDLOW,
HAMILTON F. KEAN,
Executors.

CRESCENS HUBBARD, Attorney for Executors, 45 Cedar Street, New York City.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.—JAMES YOUNG BRUSH, Plaintiff, against CHARLES A. ACKERMAN, individually and as Executor of and under the last Will and Testament of CHARLOTTE Y. ACKERMAN, deceased, defendant.—County Clerk's Index No. 20288-1918.

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment of partition and sale duly made and entered in the above entitled action and bearing date the 29th day of November, 1918, I, the undersigned, the referee named in said interlocutory judgment, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, Nos. 14-16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and County of New York, on the 21st day of January, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon on that day, by JOSEPH P. DAY, Auctioneer, the premises directed by said interlocutory judgment to be sold, and therein described as follows:

(Parcel No. 1.)

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, and known and distinguished as lot number 920 on a map of the Bloomingdale tract made by J. F. Bridges and dated October, 1826, on file in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and which is bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly line of Eighty-second Street distant three hundred and fifty feet westerly from the northwesterly corner of Eleventh Avenue and Eighty-second Street, and running thence northerly and parallel to Eleventh Avenue one hundred and two feet two inches to the centre line of the block, thence westerly along said centre line of the block and parallel to Eighty-second Street twenty-five feet, thence southerly and parallel to Eleventh Avenue one hundred and two feet and two inches to the northerly line of Eighty-second Street, and thence easterly and along the said northerly line of Eighty-second Street twenty-five feet to the place of beginning. (Said premises being known as and by street number 331 West 82nd Street.)

(Parcel No. 2.)

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the northerly side of Eighty-second Street distant three hundred and seventy-five feet westerly from the northwesterly corner of Eighty-second Street and West End Avenue and running thence northerly parallel with West End Avenue seventy feet, thence westerly parallel with Eighty-second Street twelve feet, thence southerly parallel with West End Avenue fifteen feet, thence westerly parallel with Eighty-second Street twenty-six feet five inches more or less to the easterly side of Riverside Drive, thence southerly along the easterly side of Riverside Drive sixty feet four and three-quarter inches more or less to the northeasterly corner of said Riverside Drive and Eighty-second Street, and thence easterly along the northerly side of Eighty-second Street thirteen feet four and three-quarter inches to the point or place of beginning. (Said premises being a vacant lot adjoining Parcel No. 1, above described.)

(Parcel No. 3.)

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the southerly line of Twenty-fourth Street distant one hundred and forty-one feet eight inches in a southeasterly direction from the southeasterly corner of Twenty-fourth Street and Eighth Avenue, and running thence southeasterly along the said southerly line of Twenty-fourth Street sixteen feet eight inches, thence southwesterly at right angles to Twenty-fourth Street ninety-eight feet nine inches to the centre line of the block between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-third Streets, thence northwesterly along the centre line of said block and parallel with Twenty-fourth Street sixteen feet eight inches, and thence northeasterly and parallel with Eighth Avenue ninety-eight feet nine inches to the place of beginning. (Said premises being known as and by street number 260 West 24th Street.)

(Parcel No. 4.)

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings and improvements thereon erected situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, known and designated on a certain Map of Property belonging to the estate of Abraham Child, deceased, filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York as Map number two of said estate by the number 44 and bounded and described as follows:

COMMENCING at a point on the easterly side of Seventh Avenue distant seventy-four feet northerly from the northeasterly corner of the Seventh Avenue and Twenty-eighth Street, thence running easterly and parallel with Twenty-eighth Street ninety-nine and three-fourths feet, thence northerly on a line nearly parallel with the Seventh Avenue twenty-four and two-thirds feet, thence westerly parallel with Twenty-eighth Street ninety-nine and one-third feet to the Seventh Avenue aforesaid, and thence southerly along the easterly side of Seventh Avenue twenty-four and two-thirds feet to the place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less. The said premises being now known as number 327 Seventh Avenue in the City of New York.

(Parcel No. 5.)

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land together with the buildings and improvements thereon erected situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York, known and distinguished on a map entitled Map No. 2 of lands in the Sixteenth Ward of the City of New York belonging to the estate of the late Henry Eckford, deceased, New York, December 17th, 1847, laid out into lots by Edwin Smith, City Surveyor, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 24th day of January, 1848, by the number Forty-five (45), bounded southerly in front by Thirty-third Street, westerly by lot designated on the said map as number Forty-four (44), and easterly by land heretofore of Thomas Gardner. (Said premises being known as and by street number 135 West 33rd Street.)

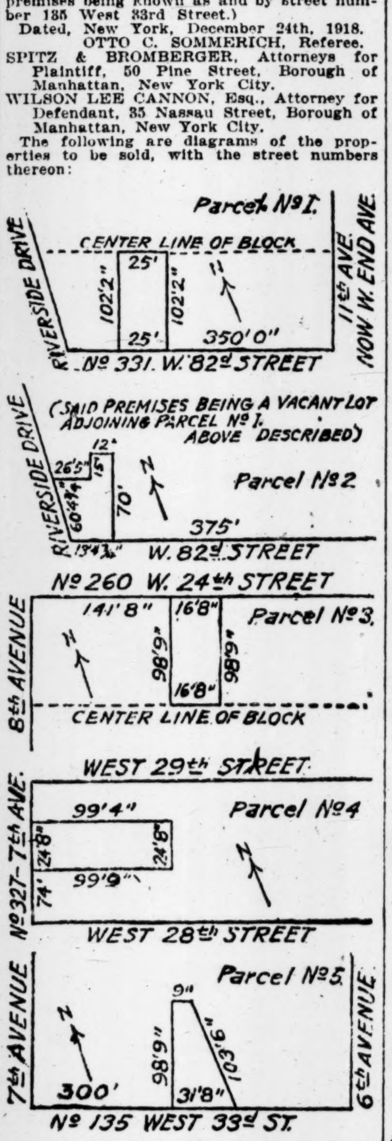
Dated, New York, December 24th, 1918.

OTTO C. SOMMERICH, Referee.

SPITZ & BROMBERGER, Attorneys for Plaintiff, 50 Pine Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

WILSON LEE CANNON, Esq., Attorney for Defendant, 35 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

The following are diagrams of the properties to be sold, with the street numbers thereon:



Parcels 1 and 2 above described will be sold in one parcel, and parcels 3, 4 and 5 above described will each be sold separately.

Parcel 1 is subject to an agreement dated July 17th, 1900, recorded October 23rd, 1900, in the office of the Register of New York County in Liber 74, Section 4, of Conveyances, Page 404.

Parcel 2 is subject to a restrictive covenant in deed recorded March 15th, 1898, in the office of the Register of New York County in Liber 58, Section 4, of Conveyances, Page 440.

Parcel 5 is subject to a restrictive covenant contained in deed recorded March 8th, 1848, in the office of the Register of New York County in Liber 502 of Conveyances, Page 308.

The above described properties will be sold subject to any state of facts shown on accurate surveys and to existing tenancies, none of which shall be nor be deemed to be an objection to title nor ground for rejecting the same.

Dated, New York, December 24th, 1918.

OTTO C. SOMMERICH, Referee.

MARKET FOR USED AUTOMOBILES.

To buy or sell a used motor car the Automobile Exchange published daily in The New York Times will be found the best open market. Telephone 1000 Bryant.—Advt.

U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—FIVE CONTINENTS CORPORATION against FRENCH OVER-SEAS CORPORATION and the Schooner "EDWARD J. LAWRENCE," her tackle, &c. Notice:—I have arrested the Schooner "Edward J. Lawrence," her tackle, &c., upon a libel filed in a cause, civil and maritime, for Damages $500,000. Process returnable and cause heard on opening of said Court on January 6, 1919, at United States Court House and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York City, and all persons interested must appear or default, and condemnation will be ordered.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, United States Marshal, Southern District New York.

M. L. Towns, Proctor for Libellant.

UNITED STATES COURT, SOUTHERN District of New York.—At the suit of the United States demanding forfeiture thereof under the provisions of the Pure Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, Sec. 10, I have seized and hold 539 cases of a drug labeled in part "Vinol." Notice is hereby given that the cause is appointed for trial at the U. S. Court and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, January 6, 1919, at the opening of Court. All persons are notified then and there to appear and defend their interest, if any, in said goods. All not appearing will be defaulted.

Dated December 23, 1918.

THOS. D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.

FRANCIS G. CAFFEY, U. S. Attorney.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.

Notice is given that THE NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY, owner of the lighter "Ilion," has filed its petition for limitation of liabilities for any loss, destruction, damage, or injury from said vessel on the 14th day of December, 1917. Stipulated value of vessel and freight, Thirty-one and 67-100 ($31.67) Dollars. All persons claiming damages because of such loss, destruction, damage, or injury must prove their claims before Edward L. Owen, Esq., Commissioner, at No. 69 Wall Street, New York City, on or before the 7th day of April, 1919, or be defaulted.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—CHARLES STOFFREGEN et al. against SCOW "QUEEN," her tackle, &c.—Notice: I have arrested the foregoing vessel upon a libel filed in a cause, civil and maritime, for Damages on Contract, $1,524.60. Process returnable and cause heard on opening of said Court on January 6, 1919, at United States Court House and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York City, and all persons interested must appear or default, and condemnation will be ordered.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, United States Marshal, Southern District New York.

JOHN E. ROESER, Proctor for Libellant.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—Notice is hereby given that the Greenwood Lake Transportation Company, owner of the steamship "Arlington," has filed a petition for the limitation of its liability for any loss, damage or injury occasioned by an alleged storm occurring on September 8th, 1916. All persons claiming damages because of such loss, destruction, damage or injury, must prove their claims before Edward L. Owen, Esq., Commissioner, at his office, Post Office Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the 17th day of March, 1919, or be defaulted.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal, S. D. N. Y.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—C. HILDEBRANT DRY DOCK COMPANY, INC., against STEAMER "CHRYSTENAH," her engines, &c.—Notice: I have arrested the foregoing vessel upon a libel filed in a cause, civil and maritime, for Repairs, $639.14. Process returnable and cause heard on opening of said Court on January 6, 1919, at United States Court House and Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York City, and all persons interested must appear or default, and condemnation will be ordered.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, United States Marshal, Southern District New York.

AMOS VAN ETTEN, Proctor for Libellant.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.

Notice is given that the Lehigh Valley Transportation Company, owner of the steamtug "Mahanoy," has filed its petition for limitation of liability for any loss, destruction, damage or injury from said vessel on the 26th day of February, 1918. Stipulated value of vessel and freight, $80,592.19. All persons claiming damages because of such loss, destruction, damage or injury must prove their claims before Henry W. Goodrich, Commissioner, at 49 Wall Street, New York City, on or before February 24 1919, or be defaulted. THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal.

POSTPONED SALE.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.—I will sell at public auction on Friday, January 3rd, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, the Steamboat "Chrystenah," her engines, &c., said steamboat to be sold at the foot of 157th Street and North River, New York City, N. Y., where she can now be seen and inspected.

THOMAS D. McCARTHY, U. S. Marshal, S. D. N. Y.

Dated New York, December 27, 1918.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of LOUIS GOLDMAN, Alleged Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30th, 1918, by order of the Court, at 2 P. M., at 1,140 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of ladies' cloaks, suits, fixtures, typewriter, office furniture, etc.

MARY POTTER, Receiver.

MAURICE L. SHAINE, Attorney for Receiver, 299 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of JOHN C. SHILLING, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Monday, Dec. 30, 1918, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at Park Hill Inn, Yonkers, N. Y., assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of tables, chairs, linens, silverware, bric-a-brac, crockery, and everything used to equip a first class restaurant.

JOHN L. LYTTLE, Receiver.

ROSENBERG & BALL, Attorneys for Receiver, 74 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of FRANK MIGDALSKY, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells Monday, January 6, 1919, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 45 West 14th Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of men's, women's and children's shoes, rubbers, boots, findings, fixtures, etc.

PETER B. OLNEY, Jr., Receiver.

SAMUEL L. RAWAK, Attorney for Receiver, 201 Broadway, New York.

BROOKLYN—FOR SALE OR TO LET.

$45 MONTH Carries one of our California type Comfort Homes. GARAGE, sleeping porch, etc. Beautiful street; only two minutes from Kings Highway station of the Broadway-Sea Beach Subway from Times Square. Open daily, or particulars upon request. JOHN F. CHURLO CORPN., Kings Highway & West 11th St., Brooklyn.

WESTCHESTER—FOR SALE OR TO LET.

SPECIALISTS IN
WESTCHESTER AND NEARBY CONNECTICUT
PROPERTIES. — INSURANCE.
Fish & Marvin 527 5th Av.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Unfurnished.

MANHATTAN—West Side.

TWO ROOMS
BATH, KITCHENETTE.
Corner apartments; latest improvements.
Ready for immediate occupancy.
102 WEST 129TH STREET.
Premises or 2,036 5th Av.

285 Central Park West St. Urban.
AT WEST 89TH ST.
Two Room Apartment, Ground Floor
Suitable for Physician or Dentist.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Furnished.

THE REGAL APARTMENTS,
55th St. & 7th Ave. New fireproof apartment house; elaborately furnished suites of 1 room and bath, $75 to $80; 2 rooms, bath, $100 to $150. Every modern improvement, including maid and valet service. Reduction on unfurnished apartments. Ownership management.

REAL ESTATE.

Bronx—For Sale or To Let.

Three 6-story flats, halls heated only, 150x60, 425 to 435 East 161st St.; mortgage $75,000; rentals $14,400 yearly; always rented; equity $35,000; small expenses; investigate. Owner, 429 East 161st St., Bronx.

New York State—For Sale or To Let.

Gentleman's estate, Orange County; commuting distance; Tuxedo section; 125 acres, modern stone house, garage, &c., Mrs. McAleer, 160 West 119th.

Real Estate Wanted.

Business man will rent, buy private house reasonable terms, Harlem colored district, from owners only. A 987 Times Annex.

MORTGAGE LOANS.

Loans made quickly, privately. Call 4 to 6, Room 1217, 366 Broadway.

HOUSES FOR SALE OR TO LET.

Manhattan.

Three story; electricity, two baths; 80s, near Drive. Houghton, Columbus 280.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS.

To sublet one year, beginning Feb. 1, 2,000 square feet extra light space, high-class building, centre silk and woolen district; suitable for stock and display room; immediate possession; January rent free. Inquire R. J. Reynolds, Room 393, Metropolitan Tower.

Stores.—1,304 Amsterdam Av., (124th,) 393 Central Park West; will divide. 666 East 180th, 300 West Broadway, 483 9th Av., corner 37th; 592 Grand St., 255 and 271 Avenue C. Particulars, 650 1st Av.

Beautiful parlor floor on high-class business block, suitable for doctor or other professional person; also basement for tearoom. 29 West 57th St. Phone Circle 1871.

Furnished private office, $25.50 monthly; desk room, $11.50; telephone attendant; no lease required. Duane, 309 Broadway, Suite 807.

Desk room, $10 up; service, location, and equipment unequalled; switchboard, bulletin listing. Fifth Av. Building, corner 23d, Suite 459.

133 WEST 72D ST.
MODERN BUILDING, SUITABLE FOR PHYSICIANS AND DENTISTS.
SINGLE AND DOUBLE SUITES.

FURNISHED OFFICES and desk room, with telephone and stenographic service; high-class office building, directly connected with subway express station. Room 212, 51 E. 42d.

Offices, $25 to $100; 30-story building. 110 West 40th St., Room 1203.

School and office, completely furnished, $55 monthly. 150 Nassau St., Room 913.

Wanted for Business Purposes.

Wanted—About 14,000 square feet floor space, Manhattan preferred, one, two, or three lofts adjoining, steam power preferred, manufacturing purposes; occupancy May 1. Write particulars, D 865 Times Annex.

WALL ST.—Exporter wants very small office or desk room in Wall St.; bank references exchanged. W 590 Times Downtown.

APARTMENTS TO LET.

Furnished—East Side.

30TH ST., (163 Lexington Av.)—Attractively furnished two rooms and bath, including excellent meals, $25 weekly up; also one room and bath with meals, $20 weekly up; women only; complete hotel service. Hotel Rutledge. Telephone Madison Square 6160.

30TH, 124 EAST.—Suite three unusually large, attractively furnished rooms, 2 bathrooms, open fireplaces, southern exposure; exclusive neighborhood; references.

50TH ST., 51 EAST.—Bachelor apartment; sunny corner; living room, bedroom, and bath; rent by month $125. Phone Plaza 4746.

APARTMENTS, handsomely furnished, east, west side; choice buildings; long, short leases. Clark Realty, 347 Madison Av. Vanderbilt 1450.

ATTENTION! — APARTMENTS, furnished, two and three rooms and bath, $17.50 weekly and up; full hotel service; one block from subway. HOTEL ST. LOUIS, 34 East 32d St. HOTEL SENTON, 35 East 27th St.

PARK AV., in the 60s.—Attractive apartment, 3 master's bedrooms, 3 maids' rooms, 3 baths, offered on sublease to May 1 at low rental; ready for immediate occupancy. Worthington Whitehouse, Inc., 9 East 46th St. Murray Hill 1000.

PARK AV., northwest corner, entrance 81st St.; 6 rooms and bath; sunshine. Phone Lenox 7899.

Furnished—West Side.

45TH, 341 WEST.—New elevator building; cleanliness; furnishings unequaled; 1-2-3 rooms, bath, shower; tiled kitchens, kitchenette; no questionable applicants; highest references; $55-$100 monthly. Tel. Bryant 6255.

48TH ST., 49 WEST.—Alcove bedroom, sitting room, with large bath and kitchenette; well furnished; seen 2-5.

54TH, 29 WEST, (Near 5th Av. and University Club.)—Handsome one and two room sunny suites; private baths.

56TH, 63 WEST.—Bachelor apartment, two rooms, bath, kitchenette; southern exposure. "Morgan."

67TH, 1 WEST.—Apartment 607; duplex studio, bedroom, kitchenette, bath; manager Hotel des Artistes.

69TH ST., 245 WEST, (the New West End.)—Two and three rooms; $70 up. Col. 4468.

70TH, 200 WEST.—7 rooms, bath, maids' lavatory; elevator; 5th floor; $200.

72D ST., 14 WEST.—Apartment, two unusually large rooms, separate kitchenette; excellent bath, plenty closet room, piano, &c., until October; private phone. 8247 Columbus. Pope.

77TH, 50 WEST.—Four-room, bath and kitchenette apartment furnished; to sublet for nine months beginning Jan. 1, at Manhattan Square Hotel. Apply apartment 96.

80TH, 119 WEST.—Newly furnished, one-room, bathroom, apartment; electricity; phone.

95TH ST., 330 WEST.—Well furnished home of six rooms; second house from Riverside Drive; $150 monthly.

111TH, 532 WEST.—Lady will rent for three months beautifully furnished four-room apartment; $150 monthly; no agent.

113TH, Near Broadway.—High-class apartments of 2 rooms and bath; dining in building. R. A. McEntee, 544 West 113th. Telephone Cathedral 7715.

135TH, 516 WEST.—4 rooms and bath, nicely furnishd, complete housekeeping; electric, gas, telephone; possession Jan. 1; references. Janitor.

141ST, 553 WEST.—Beautiful 2 rooms, private house; light housekeeping.

APARTMENT SEEKING SIMPLIFIED.
Choice apartments, 4 to 12 rooms; East, West; $150 up. Wickliffe Gray, Apartment Specialist, 269 West 73d. Columbus 3974.

Attractive Apartments. Hotel Conveniences At Apartment Rates. Inspection Invited.
THE CATHEDRAL PLAZA,
100 CATHEDRAL PARKWAY.
110th St., between Amsterdam & Columbus Av. Fully furnished Apartment rented monthly. 2 Rooms with kitchenette & bath from $50 up. 3 Rooms with kitchenette & bath from $70 up. Telephone Academy 613 for further information. Linen and maid service if desired. Two blocks east of Broadway Subway, near 6th and 9th Av. "L." Reference essential.

BROADWAY, Corner West 148th St., (601 West 148th St., Apartment 7E.)—Suite of three rooms and bath, non-housekeeping; all rooms are front, facing south and east, with beautiful view of Hudson River and of Broadway; furnished in period Sheraton mahogany, beautiful rugs and hangings, fireplace; elevator and telephone service; $22.50 per week. Responsible tenant wanted who can assure care of furnishings.

BROADWAY, 106th St.—Eight outside rooms; immediate possession; $125; seen by appointment. Phone Academy 2806.

BROADWAY, 2,788, (110th Subway.)—$85; private, front, three-room elevator apartment. Mack.

CHOICE FURNISHED APARTMENTS.
E. K. Van Winkle, 156 W. 72d. Col. 1077.

HIGH-CLASS FURNISHED APARTMENTS for rent. Call for particulars.
SLAWSON & HOBBS, 162 WEST 72D ST.

PINEHURST AV., 72, (Near West 181st.)—Will sublet outside four-room apartment to party buying furnishings, reasonable; no dealers. Shattuck.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 340.—Beautiful, spacious south room, bath, kitchen; enchanting view. Academy 3113.

WEST END AV., 574.—Handsomely furnished five all light rooms, two baths; six months or longer; $300 monthly. Granville W. Bishop. Telephone Schuyler 5600.

Unfurnished—East Side.

LEXINGTON AV., 244.—Parlor floor, two large rooms, bath, kitchenette; $100. Phone 2165 Murray Hill.

Unfurnished—West Side.

49TH, 11 WEST.—Exceptional apartment; entire floor of five rooms handsomely decorated, 2 baths; maid service; quietly located off 5th Av. Telephone Circle 543.

50TH ST., 17 WEST.—Studio apartment, skylight, two rooms, bath, open fireplace; new building. Apply premises.

56TH, 327 WEST.—Two, five large, light rooms; remodeled; elevator; $720 up.

57TH, 29 WEST.—Beautiful one, two, and three-room apartment or studios with private baths, open fireplaces, electricity, steam heat; aristocratic neighborhood; moderate rentals. Phone Circle 1871.

58TH ST., 112 WEST.
One large room and bath; first floor; rent $30; high-class house.

65TH ST., 136 WEST, "THE SHROPSHIRE."—To lease from Jan. 1: One apartment of two rooms and bath, $60 per month; rooms are of good size, and have parquet floors; service if desired. Near subway and L station at 66th St.

67TH, 33 WEST.—Two rooms and bath, studio. Apply Supt. on premises.

74TH, 138 WEST.—Unusually attractive large front room; bath, lavatory, (fireplace,) parquet floors, electricity; select private residence; service.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 456.—Unfurnished apt., west side; exceptional 6 rooms and 2 baths to sublet.

TWO ROOMS.
Bath and Kitchenette,
ready for occupancy,
$85 to $91.
Rep. on premises daily and Sunday.
137 WEST 74TH ST.

APARTMENTS TO LET.

Unfurnished—Brooklyn.

PRESIDENT ST., 230, (Brooklyn.)—Five rooms, bath, steam, hot water, $37.50. Manning.

APARTMENTS WANTED.

Furnished.

Four or five-room apartment, modern in every way; willing to pay $60-$75 per month; willing also to exchange lease for Newark apartment if party so desires. E. P. Jones, Branch Manager, Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., 1,871 Broadway.

Bachelor desires small furnished or unfurnished apartment in modern equipped building; must be reasonable; describe location, &c., fully. Address, S 436 Times Downtown.

Furnished apartments wanted for our clients. Send particulars to Slawson & Hobbs, 162 West 72d St.

RESPONSIBLE CLIENTS WANTING furnished apartments, 3-9 months rentals. Clark Realty, 347 Mad. Av. Vanderbilt 1450.

Wanted, young man, American, to share apartment; $10 per week; references. Mathews, 667 West 161st St. Tel. Aud. 4769.

Refined couple, two rooms, bath, and kitchen or kitchenette; three months; references. A 993 Times Harlem.

Furnished apartment; young couple; not over $60; or board, private. Y 277 Times Annex.

Unfurnished.

Wanted.—5-room apartment, with modern conveniences; rent not to exceed $1,200 per annum; west side, above 72d St. Write G. S., Room 905, 198 Broadway, New York.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

East Side.

30TH, (163 Lexington Av.)—Rooms, sunny; telephone, elevator; well furnished; excellent service; $8 weekly up; including elegant meals, $14 weekly; front rooms, with running water, $16 weekly; with bath, $19 weekly; refined women. Hotel Rutledge.

The Management of THE NEWEST ALLERTON, EXCLUSIVELY FOR BACHELORS, 143 East 39th St., are now receiving applications for residence in their NEW 16-STORY RESIDENCE FOR MEN. Completely furnished. The congenial spirit and atmosphere of a well-appointed club for men of refinement. Shower baths, reading rooms, library, billiard room, handball courts, &c. Rates $6.50 to $15 per week. References.

THE HOTEL BELMORE,
northeast corner 25th St. and Lexington Av., two blocks from subway station; special permanent weekly rates, $7 week and up. Madison Square 501.

West Side.

23D, 258 WEST.—Rooms for gentlemen; $3, $4.50; steam heat.

52D, 43 WEST.—Single room, near bath; hardwood floor, electricity, steam heat.

56TH, 352 WEST.—Two fine front rooms, electricity, bath, telephone. Columbus 5765.

57TH, 260 WEST.—Large warm front room. Seventh floor.

69TH, 68 WEST.—Exceptionally handsome large room, parquet floors, electricity, switchboard; refined residence.

69TH, 50 WEST.—Two rooms, kitchenette with private bath; completely furnished; electricity; southern.

73D, 106 WEST.—Newly furnished residence; well heated, large rooms; electricity, telephone; $9, $10.

74TH, 303 WEST. — Large room adjoining bath; first floor; appointed for comfort; absolutely first class; steam heat; continuous hot water.

76TH, 147 WEST.—Artistic home, medium room, $6.50; also small, $4.50; electricity; parquetry.

76TH, 251 WEST.—Suite, 2 rooms, bath; heat, electricity, telephone; single rooms.

77TH, 161 WEST.—Large, double room, newly furnished; electricity, running water; select private house; business people; $15.

77TH, 111 WEST.—Desirable small, sunny room; gentleman; reasonable; references.

78TH, 122 WEST.—Nicely furnished parlor floor, private bath, piano; large, small rooms.

78TH, 142 WEST.—Very desirable rooms, $5 to $10. Telephone. Reception room.

80TH, 116 WEST.—Attractive parlor bedroom, private bath, electricity; $12; phone; references.

82D, 155 WEST.—Beautiful, large, sunny front room, electricity, telephone.

86TH, 113 WEST.—Large, beautiful room, with alcove bedroom and private bath, electricity; also sunny front room. Schuyler 9287.

86TH, 341 WEST.—Elegant, large, sunny front room, private bath, electricity; reference.

86TH, 341 WEST.—Elegant, large room; private bath; also front parlor; electricity.

88TH, 335 WEST.—Beautiful, spacious room, private bath, electricity; one, two gentlemen.

88TH, 173 WEST.—Exclusive house; small outside hall room, running water; $3.50.

100TH, 253 WEST.—Attractive double rooms; southern exposure; American home; breakfasts optional.

103D, 15 WEST.—Comfortable front room; 1 flight; steam, hot water; gentlemen. Stokes.

104TH, 247 WEST.—Clean, homelike room; electricity; gentleman desiring best. Beidler.

118TH, 400 WEST, (Near Columbia.)—Two connecting rooms, splendid view. Apartment 42.

145TH, (3,544 Broadway.)—Large front room adjoining bath; private; clean. Mayer.

CENTRAL PARK WEST, 418.—Large, beautifully furnished room overlooking park in twelve-room apartment; private family. Phone River. 6265.

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED rooms, small and large; home comforts. Schuyler 8250.

CONVENT AV., 425, (148th.)—Large, steam-heated room; private residence; telephone; references.

HOTEL BRADDOCK,
126TH ST. AND 8TH AV.,
one block from 6th and 9th Av. elevated station, catering to permanent guests; single or double rooms, with or without bath, at popular prices.

RIVERSIDE.—Large, small front room and bath; private residence, reference. Schuyler 8448.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 185.—Large, small, and suites; private bath.

WEST END AV., 322, (75th.)—Small room for gentleman or lady; private house; references.

WEST END AV., 275.—Large front room adjoining bath.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

TWO unfurnished front rooms on parlor floor; heat and light; suitable for doctor. X 390 Times Annex.

ROOMS WANTED.

Furnished.

By refined gentleman, well heated, scrupulously clean room with bath, near Washington Square, with or without breakfast; private family or high-class boarding house; give rates; references furnished. G 327 Times.

Jewish gentleman desires best accommodations, no other roomers, 86th to 160th St., on Broadway; price second consideration; must be first-class elevator apartment; ready on the 1st. G 328 Times.

Gentleman desires furnished or unfurnished room, with bath, at once; reasonable; state particulars. Address Professional, G 317 Times.

Japanese gentleman desires large, comfortable room in good neighborhood, with refined American family; breakfasts, dinners optional. Columbus 8247.

Two Japanese business men want two outside rooms, with refined private family; high-class elevator apartment. G 324 Times.

Young business woman wishes room with private family residing on west side, between 72d and 110th. L 252 Times.

BOARDERS WANTED.

East Side.

HOTEL RUTLEDGE, 163 Lexington Av., (30th St.)—For refined women. Why not live at a hotel if you can do so at lower cost than boarding or keeping house? Outside rooms; telephone; elevator; complete service; homelike; including meals, $14 weekly up. Tel. Madison Sq. 6160.

West Side.

16TH, 20-22 WEST.—Large, small rooms, well heated; unexcelled board; telephone.

54 WEST 54TH ST.
Rooms with board; references.

58TH, 44 WEST.—Beautiful large rooms, private baths, steam heat; table unexcelled.

58TH, 37 WEST.—Attractive rooms; private baths; parlor dining room; excellent table.

73D, 302 WEST.—Attractive double front room, small and medium room; subway.

77TH, 116 WEST.—Attractive large room, dressing room, bath adjoining; steam; excellent table.

79TH, 114-132 WEST, (Wide, Parked Street.)—Unusual and attractive; large parlors; tearoom and lounge; steam heat; booklet.

82D, 124 WEST, (Graycourt.)—Attractive, modern; steam heat; references; table guests; booklet.

85TH, 130 WEST.—Small rooms; all accommodations; excellent board; table guests; references.

93D, 21 WEST.—Sunny front room; French cuisine. Park L.; table guests.

102D, 305 WEST.—Opportunity for 2 adults in private Christian American family; front room, four southern windows, private bath.

106TH, 314 WEST.—Attractive single room in private residence; references.

BOARDERS WANTED.

West Side.

130TH ST., 247 WEST.—Large light rooms; all conveniences; kosher table board. Morningside 4011.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 46, (CORNER 77TH ST.,) THE GRAYMORE. — EXCLUSIVE RESIDENTIAL HOTEL; EXCELLENT TABLE. TEL. SCHUYLER 4306.

THE EVELYN LODGE.
Charming Winter house of highest standard; 20 minutes downtown N. Y. Fare 5c.
Fifty warm rooms; excellent cuisine; social parlors; comforts; cleanliness.
Weekly, $14-$20 per adult, with meals.
71 CENTRAL AV., ST. GEORGE, S. I.

WEST END AV., 301, (74th.)—Large, double room, private bath, meals, one flight; singles, facing park, electricity; all conveniences.

WEST END AV., 315.—Private family; beautiful room; bath; unexcelled table; gentlemen.

BOARD WANTED.

Lady with seven-year-old child wishes to board with family with children, or boarding school where she and girl could board. Answer. Mrs. Hernandez, 74 West 94th St.

Board, room wanted by young American business man with congenial surroundings, near Broadway; state particulars. G 312 Times.

Couple with two children, 4, 8; east or west side. G 330 Times.

COUNTRY BOARD.

Good home in suburbs wanted for two boys, 8, 9; moderate terms. Write Room 1017, Hotel San Remo.

Brooklyn.

Home Sanitarium. — Selected medical and surgical cases; charges moderate. Phone Midwood 5650. Medical Superintendent, 1,364 East 27th St., Brooklyn.

Westchester County.

Mountain House, Valhalla, Westchester Co., N. Y.—City comforts; country sports; private bath; 45 minutes from 42d St.; $11 and up; capacity 150; special holiday rates; booklet. Phone 1165 White Plains.

Country Board Wanted.

Woman, two children, and nurse seek two comfortable rooms and board in country, not over 50 miles from New York; prefer home with no other boarders. Reply Clark, Room 3111, Singer Building.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Female.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, EXPERIENCED, ALSO TYPIST, GENERAL OFFICE WORK; CAPABLE; $15. S 521 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, experienced, desires permanent position. Godfrey, 2,414 Creston Av. Fordham 411.

BOOKKEEPER, seven years' experience; double entry, controlling accounts, trial balances; knowledge of stenography and typewriting; capable of taking full charge; $25. G 314 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, typist, stenographer, 6 years' experience, double entry, controlling accounts, trial balance; export experience; knowledge billing. Millman, 43 Amboy St., Brooklyn. East New York 6392.

BOOKKEEPER, high school graduate; four years' experience; thorough double entry bookkeeping; general business practice; $18-$20. S 419 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, TEN YEARS' EXPERIENCE, WELL RECOMMENDED, DESIRES PART TIME ENGAGEMENTS. L 230 TIMES.

BOOKKEEPER, TYPIST, controlling accounts; 6 years' experience; reference; salary $22. G 712 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER and stenographer, experienced; salary $25. Buckhalter, 130 South 9th St., Brooklyn.

BOOKKEEPER.—Several years' experience controlling system; charge of office; $20. K 43 Times.

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST, experienced, competent; best references; $23-$25. G 307 Times.

COLLEGE WOMAN, industrial experience, responsible position; employment, welfare, personal; unusual references. 3A, 200 West 110th St. Academy 356.

FRENCH TEACHING, conversation; piano; adults, children; classes. Mlle. Grosrenaud, 229 West 127th.

GIRL, American, wants stenographic position; legal experience; salary $20. Address O 780 Times Downtown.

GIRL, high school graduate, knowledge of stenography; position with growing firm; $15. Write B. K., 21 Times.

MASSEUSE, licensed, desires patients; latest methods. La Rue, 17 South St., Newark, N. J.

MASSEUSE, licensed, can take additional patients; references. Brook, 211 West 88th St., Riverside 3329.

MASSEUSE, licensed, hospital training, desires patients. Houseman, Cathedral Plaza, 101 West 109th St., Apt. 208.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, knowledge typewriting, all details; 3 years' experience. L 259 Times.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, 7 years' mercantile experience; possess initiative and executive ability; not afraid of responsibility; A1 reference. M., 112 Riverside Drive, New York City.

SECRETARY, UNIVERSITY GRADUATE, executive experience, including accounting; give or take dictation; excellent references. A 406 Times Downtown.

SECRETARY-STENOGRAPHER, knowledge of bookkeeping, 6 years' experience; executive ability. G 291 Times.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young woman, with child 15 months, desires position as housekeeper or helper; live in; no menial work. Write A. B., 856 9th Av.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPIST, knowledge of bookkeeping; bright beginner; $10 to start. G. C. 115 East Houston St. Orchard 8277.

STENOGRAPHER, extensive experience, commercial, legal, reporting; highly recommended; reasonable salary. S 525 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, Episcopalian, several years' experience in engineering and insurance lines, desires secretarial position downtown. R 755 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, (secretarial,) 6 years' experience, thoroughly competent; executive ability; excellent references; good salary desired. J. R., 104 East 14th.

STENOGRAPHER, bright and energetic; 6 months' experience; Brooklyn or downtown position desired. Barth, 1,488 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced; graduate high school and recognized business college; able handle correspondence; salary $15. S 524 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, typewriter, beginner; American girl; plain penman; no agency; $12. R 703 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER; three years' manufacturing experience; knowledge office details; educated; $18. S 529 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, high-class, reliable, wishes position for afternoons only. W 299 Times.

STENOGRAPHER, office assistant, 2 years' experience; rapid; reference; $18. R 759 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, well experienced, desires position; salary $18. Sadye Sherman, 200 East Broadway.

STENOGRAPHER, some experience, business school graduate, desires position; salary $11-$12. R 756 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, commercial and music publishing experience, high school graduate; refined, accurate; $15. G 303 Times.

STENOGRAPHER and typist, 2 years' experience, efficient; salary $15. Ethel L. Eller, 1,629 Parker St., New York City.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, experienced, wishes position; $15. Ehrlinger, 216 East 73d St.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, experienced on plug board. J. N.; 346 3d Av.

TEACHER, experienced, graduate kindergarten teacher, wishes position for mornings; either private family or school. Y 234 Times Annex.

WOMAN, refined, English, returning to England Jan. 8, will take care of children or lady in exchange for passage; references. Rhinelander 3109.

YOUNG WOMAN with university degree and publishing house experience seeks a post where she can demonstrate her value in an executive capacity in any business where sincere ambition, hard work, and carefulness of detail is required; best references furnished. M. Maginnis, 8 East 13th St.

YOUNG WOMAN, educated, strong and healthy, just disengaged from Government work, wants position in the country, farm work, household duties, companion or attendant to invalid. W 395 Times.

Employment Agencies.

HOUSEWORKERS.—Neat colored girls, investigated references, wish places; other Southern help supplied. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, (Agency,) 314 West 59th. Phone Columbus 5022. Established 1890.

BERTA CARLSON, Swedish Agency.—First-class servants. 2,415 Broadway, (89th.) Riverside 9463.

COLORED HELP.—City, country; references. Hope Agency, 432 Lenox Av. Harlem 5049.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANCY STUDENT, (18,) New York University, accurate, can operate typewriter, desires position with accountant or accounting department. S 517 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANTS, certified; general accounting, monthly audits, investigations, systems, tax reports. Union Audit Company, 32 Broadway. Telephone 734 Broad.

ACCOUNTANT.—Income Tax Reports, Bookkeeping done, $1 week, (Saves $25 bookkeeper;) new method. Beekman 998. 1,701 Tribune Building.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT, C. P. A., high-grade executive with record for achievement, seeks position controller or corporation executive. B 420 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT.—Income Tax Reports, books closed, opened, audited; trial balances; $5 monthly upward. Friedlander, 154 Nassau. Beekman 908.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, 21, two years' bookkeeping and auditing experience, university student, desires position with accounting firm. B., 307 Times Bronx.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened, systems, tax reports; arrangements firms without bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly. Goldwater, 132 Nassau. Telephone Beekman 7300.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened, audited, systematized, tax reports, bookkeeping arrangements. Bernstein, 45 West 27th St. Farragut 4163.

ACCOUNTANT with 8 years' experience, also cost accounting, desires position with a manufacturing concern; best references. W 337 Times.

ACCOUNTANT.—Income tax reports, books audited, systematized; part time bookkeeping; spare time evenings, Saturday afternoons; reasonable. W 578 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT.—Monthly, yearly audits, reports, statements; books opened, closed, written up, systematized; moderate. Pace, 200 Broadway. Cortlandt 3115.

ACCOUNTANT.—Young man, 25 years old, honorably discharged from army; experienced; A1 references. L. F. Beans, 985 Columbus Av.

BOOKKEEPER, auditor, office manager, nine years' experience desires position where advancement is assured. K 6 Times.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened, closed, systematized; monthly audits. Robinson, 128 Broadway. Rector 4275.

ACCOUNTANT, junior two years' accounting experience, desires position; ambitious, accurate. G 732 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, bookkeeper, 29; experienced; office manager; reliable, efficient; credits, &c. L 209 Times.

ACCOUNTANT.—Books opened, closed, audited, and systematized; income tax expert. G 694 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT-BOOKKEEPER, young man, 30, married, accountancy trained, desires position. S 534 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT, audits systems, part time bookkeeping, income tax. Strouch, 155 Ross St., Brooklyn.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, (21,) experienced accountancy student; references. Rennert, 14 Avenue A.

ACCOUNTANT, junior, (34,) experienced and well educated, seeks permanent position. G 744 Times Downtown.

ADVERTISEMENT WRITER. — Capital, sales, mail order; part time; samples; references. G 278 Times.

AMERICAN, educated, (23,) three years assisting large manufacturer correspondence, sales, handling help, supervising stock and orders; conscientious worker; let's talk it over. L 257 Times.

ARCHITECT, building superintendent desires immediate connection, draftsman, inspection, office management; best experience; competent, hustler. Robinson, Mad. Sq. 2282.

ARMY AVIATOR, honorably discharged, seeks position; am qualified for credit or collection or correspondence departments; am member of bar, and can assume responsibility; initial salary secondary, where opportunity offers; age, 26. G 309 Times.

ASSISTANT TO EXECUTIVE.
Young man, formerly private secretary, office manager and purchasing agent, now with foreign war mission, wishes permanent position with good salary and prospects; has organizing and administrative ability; is adaptable and intelligent; could quickly become understudy to executive, relieve him of details and supplement his work. B 419 Times Downtown.

A COLLEGE MAN, 33, honest, sober, wants position to take care of baggage and act as companion to gentleman going to Florida. G 308 Times.

BOOKKEEPER, (23,) experienced balances, controlling accounts, statements; practical knowledge cost accounting; university accounting education; salary secondary to opportunity. S 503 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER.—Experienced, accountant's office, bank, bookkeeping knowledge; Commercial High; references. R 716 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER—Four years' experience, controlling accounts, trial balance and balance sheet; not afraid of work. R 698 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, (22,) expert, desires part time employment; U. S. Navy release. S 563 Times.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT.—Young man, 18 years, desires position with reliable concern; references. William Stern, 217 E. 81st.

BOOKKEEPER, ledger, trial balance, statements, correspondence; good references. R 758 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, $3 weekly; part time; financial, tax reports; accountant. S 527 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER. — Young man, preferably with steel export experience. A 804 Times Annex.

BOOKKEEPER'S ASSISTANT, 20, high school graduate, two years' experience. S 532 Times Downtown.

BUYER
OF SHOES IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, 20 YEARS' EXPERIENCE; EXPORT FIRM PREFERRED; HIGHEST GRADE REFERENCE AS TO CAPABILITY AND INTEGRITY. WRITE Y 282 TIMES ANNEX.

CHAUFFEUR and gardener, 28, careful driver and acquainted with shopping districts, wishes position with private family, city or country; best of references. S 371 Times.

CHAUFFEUR.—Mechanic; young man, good appearance, thoroughly experienced; understands repairing; owing to sickness compelled to store my car; open for engagement. W. W., 1,464 3d Av.

CHAUFFEUR.—We have several good men, with from 3 to 9 years' references on last position; this is not an employment bureau. Society of Professional Auto Engineers, 1,947 Broadway. Tel. Columbus 10276.

CHAUFFEUR, private, 25, fine character; three evenings for business school. White, 1,018 Madison Av.

CHAUFFEUR.—Mechanic, married, 30; ten years' experience high grade cars; references; city, country. Kautz, 58 East 86th St.

CHAUFFEUR.—Reliable man, married; best references; on high-class cars. C. E. Dolle, 987 2d Av.

CHAUFFEUR, eight years' experience, wishes position, private; reference. Frank Nemec, Rhinelander 2795.

CHEF and STEWARD, discharged mess Sergeant wishes position with large construction concern, 20 years' experience, able to handle any size of business. G. Hoffman, 1,249 Greene Av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

COLLEGE GRADUATE, 22, ambitious, desires connection at bottom; selling, correspondence experience. Murray Kogen, 976 Leggett Av., Bronx.

CORRESPONDENT, (20,) experienced sales, orders, adjustments; college; good all-around office man. L 250 Times.

COST ACCOUNTANT, with broad experience in industrial field, has portion of time open to engagements with concerns having difficulties with their cost methods; complete analysis furnished of all elements of cost in your business; new methods introduced, old methods systematized, &c.; specialist in Government contracts and their relation to contractor. L 207 Times.

COST, payroll, time, correspondence; good references. R 757 Times Downtown.

COTTON GOODS
converter, ten years practical experience, understands converting, styling, and merchandising of staples, fancies, and shirtings; I desire to start a department on a profit-sharing plan or increase your present department on a large scale. S 420 Times Downtown.

COUPLE.—Man chauffeur, wife chambermaid; honorably discharge from service in France; careful driver; excellent reference; also several years' experience with saddle horses. G 223 Times.

CREDIT, COLLECTION, EXPORT MANAGER, capable and experienced, age 26, released from service, seeks position. G 693 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, DESIGNER (mechanical.)—Six years' experience on arrangements and layouts of power plants, boiler houses, piping, re-enforced concrete and special machinery. G 260 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, mechanical, 19, 3 years' experience detailing and layout, technical training, engineering student, excellent references; $25. A 991 Times Harlem.

DRAFTSMAN, mechanical, good detailer and tracer; two years' experience; reference. Address Draftsman, 207 Rodney St., Brooklyn.

DRAFTSMAN.—Detail, layout, 2 years' experience, technical education; excellent references. B 444 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN (19) desires position as beginner in mechanical drawing room. S 413 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN, structural, five years' experience, steel, concrete, design, and detail. R 746 Times Downtown.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, age 27, university education, 7 years' practical work, including testing, operation, construction, and design, desires responsible engineering position. G 233 Times.

EMPLOYMENT MAN seeks connection with a reliable concern; manufacturing and construction experience; excellent credentials. B 418 Times Downtown.

ENGINEER.—Chief or master mechanic; 20 years' experience; hotel, apartment, or factory; best references. W 377 Times.

ENGINEERING graduate, 22, three years' engineering, drafting experience, desires position. S 530 Times Downtown.

EXECUTIVE - CORRESPONDENT. — Technical, statistical, purchasing, and accounts; well educated; high in analysis and observation; faculty for details and accuracy; age 27; married. G 292 Times.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

GRADUATE CIVIL ENGINEER,
eighteen years' experience on railroad and hydraulic development work, is open for engagement to any responsible position; particularly well qualified to fill a position where tact and integrity are essential; satisfactory personality, references, habits and ability assured. Address L 197 Times.

HUSBAND and WIFE want position; wife is good plain cook; husband has over 20 years' experience in the catering business. Y 274 Times Annex.

INTERPRETER, correspondent, typist, English, French, Italian, Spanish. Rouvier, 19 Waverley Place, New York.

LAWYER, relieved from draft board service, seeks professional, other work; will invest savings sound enterprise. Energy, A 428 Times Downtown.

LIVE WIRE, well acquainted with Pacific Coast jobbers and retail trade, is open for representation of manufacturers' lines of reputable firms only; strictly commission basis. McAlpin Hotel, Room 1049.

MAN to manage shipping and stock department and act as inside salesman; ladies' wearing apparel preferred. L 147 Times.

MANAGER.—Young man, honorably discharged U. S. Army, expert automobile mechanic, high school and college graduate as mechanical draftsman and designer, wishes position as manager of garage, shop or other mechanical establishment. Schaper, 219 Audubon Av.

MANAGER-EXECUTIVE, 29, expert supervisor, thorough business man, formerly managing factory staff, 90 employes, capable organizing modern factory systems, employment, factory costs. S 531 Times Downtown.

MECHANICAL DRAFTING, Mathematics, Algebra and Geometry taught evenings by chief draftsman of well-known engineering corporation. Y 215 Times Annex.

MECHANIC'S HELPER, with chauffeur's license, looking for position in garage. Felix Maly, care Pierce, 101 West 106th St.

OFFICE MANAGER, accountant, discharged from army; thoroughly conversant with credits. S 388 Times.

PATTERN MAKER and cutter, ladies' dresses and costumes; 15 years' experience. S 528 Times Downtown.

POSITION wanted for officer mustered out U. S. A. Motor Transport Corps; excellent references from superior officers for ability to handle men rarely found among young officers; very familiar with all makes of motors; most capable man this detachment has had; also A1 salesman; wages $75 weekly with chance for advancement. Address L. X., 148 Columbus Av.

PURCHASING AGENT, previously employed as assistant; factory supplies; did considerable clerical work conjuction with same; excellent reason for leaving; reference above par. L 110 Times.

SALES MANAGER EXECUTIVE
with exceptional sales ability; also buyer and systemizer; results guaranteed. G 792 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN.
Young man, 23, five years' selling experience, wishes to connect with an established firm; has large following among buyers; best references; salary and commission. Daniel Davis, 201 Rodney St., Brooklyn.

SALESMAN, high-class, energetic, progressive, initiative and experienced, recently released from the service, with exceptionally good record, desires connections with a large advertised firm catering to the retail trade selling a meritorious line. B 64 Times.

SALESMEN.—Two live wires, with New York office, would like to sell direct for silk mill on straight commission basis. X 384 Times Annex.

SALESMAN, 30, energetic, good personality, wishes position where ability is recognized; city or road; knowledge chemicals, dyes, soap, &c. B 407 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, experienced selling through New York and New Jersey, open for profitable line sold to grocery, dry goods, drug, &c.; travel with own auto. L 258 Times.

SALESMAN, (26,) 2 years' road experience, wishes to connect with reliable house. Wm. Koester, 112 West 78th St.

SALESMAN, producer, just released from army, seeks connection; road experience. G 810 Times.

SALESMAN, experienced men's shirts, desires connection with reliable concern. W 579 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, speaks four languages, seeks position with reliable house; city or travel. L 168 Times.

SALESMAN, 24, wants good line; have been selling whisky, groceries. G 329 Times.

SALESMAN, (21,) hustler, any proposition; will travel. Box 37, 1,508 2d Av.

SHIPPING CLERK—4 years' experience shipping to South America and Far East; position with advancement, best references. G 679 Times Downtown.

SHIPPING CLERK-PACKER.—8 years' experience, desires permanent position. G 820 Times.

SHIRT MANUFACTURER.
Young man desires position with shirt concern, having seven years' experience in line; capable handling folding and pressing department, also shipping department. G 323 Times.

SOLDIER, returned from overseas, honorably discharged, two years' college education, worked in hotels, sold books, magazines, agricultural experience, &c., like to settle down and get position with advancement. R 347 Times.

STENOGRAPHER - STATISTICIAN, twelve years' experience, aged 27, married, desires responsible position with advancement; salary $25 week. A 992 Times Harlem.

STENOGRAPHER, 2 years' experience, high-school education, age 18, A1 references; salary $18. George Jenrich, 165 East 36th St.

STENOGRAPHER-SECRETARY, (27,) wide experience, wishes position with future. A 994 Times Harlem.

STENOGRAPHER. — Clerk experience; good reference and willing to work. S 515 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER, beginner, ambitious youth, desires position; salary $13; references. S 514 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Young man, (20,) efficient and conscientious worker; rapid typist, stenographer. W 589 Times Downtown.

STEWARD and wife, to manage country club; first-class cooking and service; excellent references. Ansele, 300 West 112th St.

TECHNICAL GRADUATE.
Candidate flying officer, just mustered out; 3 years on design and layout of mechanical and structural engineering, with 10 months' real shop experience, would prefer permanent connections in capacity of sales or commercial engineer. G 366 Times.

SPANISH-ENGLISH junior translator and touch typist, Spaniard, (20,) desires position with sporting house. L 254 Times.

VIOLINIST, about nine years of practice, desires position. S 434 Times Downtown.

WORKS MANAGER, with executive ability and production record, open for engagement New York; interview. L 256 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 27, honorably discharged, number years' experience as correspondent, cashier, knowledge accounting, stenography, desires employment as secretary, assistant office manager, or similar position. B 421 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (19,) high school graduate, accounting student, bookkeeping knowledge, rapid accuracy at figures, ambitious, energetic, desires position where above are essential. W 364 Times.

YOUNG MAN seeks connection with a reliable concern; employment and payroll experience; excellent credentials as to ability, personality, and honesty. B 417 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (17,) general office experience, 2 years export house, desires position with advancement; best references. S 483 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 22, speaking Russian and English, desires position with import or export house; best references. S 523 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, experienced in converting upholstery fabrics, scrims, poplins, repps, wishes to connect with reliable concern in this line. L 261 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 21, five years' experience shirt manufacturing, buying, seeks connection with reliable concern; best references. G 280 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, technical graduate, electrical and drafting experience, wishes position with electrical engineering concern. F. Strauss, 106 West 164th St.

YOUNG MAN, (20,) high school education, technical, mechanical ability, desires position with engineering concern. G 684 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, (21,) honorably discharged, college trained, very capable, bookkeeping, selling experience, desires position mercantile concern. S 467 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN concludes important Government mission South America, ready for offer from exporters; practical knowledge Spanish. L 251 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 21, desires connection with advertising concern or mercantile, where are selling opportunities. Kleinman, 125 East 4th.

YOUNG MAN, (26,) executive ability, honorably discharged, desires position; selling, office, and bookkeeping experience; unquestionable references. S 516 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN desires to connect with good concern, preferably advertising agency; college training along business lines. L 172 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 26, knowledge buying shoes, dry goods, clothing, wishes connection export house; willing leave country. J. S., 311 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 20, high school graduate, bookkeeping and selling experience, desires position where ability is appreciated. S 533 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 33, desires office or outside position; references, experience. W 397 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 21, high school graduate, would like connection with reliable concern. Y. Z., 263 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, five years' business experience, wishes responsible position. Gerlan, 155 Eldridge St.

YOUNG MAN, 21, SELLING EXPERIENCE, STENOGRAPHER, WISHES TO CONNECT WITH RELIABLE FIRM. B 66 TIMES.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

YOUNG MAN, (18,) possessing common sense, desires connection with reliable concern where good work is appreciated. B 403 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, released from navy, executive ability, desires connection with reliable firm; inside man or salesman. W 334 Times.

YOUNG man, 28, going to British Isles about Jan. 15, open for lines. Box 294, 1,939 Gates, Brooklyn.

YOUNG MAN, discharged, shipping or steamship supply. Fred Watter, Westwood, N. J.

YOUNG MAN, (27,) 2d Lieutenant, honorably discharged, desires position; 3½ years West Point; ability to handle men. W 385 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 24, desires steady position as a receiving clerk and packer; experience; advancement. S 382 Times.

YOUNG MAN, (20,) seeks position as office assistant or clerk; five years experience; references. R 748 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MARRIED MAN, recently honorably discharged from army, desires position, inside or outside; formerly hat and cap salesman. M. Levy, 108 Meserole St., Brooklyn.

HELP WANTED—Female.

ART EMBROIDERY.
WOMAN TO ORIGINATE AND SUPERVISE DESIGNING OF LINE OF NEEDLE WORK AND KINDRED ARTICLES FOR A LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERN; STATE EXPERIENCE IN DETAIL. L. M., 276 TIMES.

ATTENDANT for insane hospital; liberal pay. Call 146 East 28th St. today at 4 P. M.

A GREAT OPPORTUNITY.

Young woman to take full charge of advertising department and follow-up work in first-class office; only capable, well appearing persons considered. Write full details. L. S., Box H 200 Times.

BILL CLERK, experienced on Elliot-Fisher machine, with knowledge of stenography. Reply in own handwriting, giving full particulars. B 63 Times.

BOOKKEEPER.—Quick, active, accurate double entry; experienced with controlling accounts wanted by hardware house. Eberhart, 1,501 3d Av.

BOOKKEEPER.—Experienced and competent by 5th Av. dressmaker; state experience, reference, salary, and age. Silks, F 250 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, ASSISTANT.—Experienced; accounts payable, figuring discounts, computing interest; state experience and salary expected. Assistant, 270 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER and stenographer; thoroughly experienced only need apply. Samuel Kanner, 556 Broadway.

BUYER AND MANAGER
FOR NOTION DEPARTMENT.
A large department store has a vacancy for a competent woman as buyer and manager for their notion and art goods department; application treated strictly confidential; state age, experience, salary expected. F. A., 212 Times Downtown.

BUYER assistant for a buying office; young lady with general knowledge of ready-to-wear merchandise, waists, dresses in particular; must have previous experience and not afraid to work; moderate salary to start. G. B., 216 Times.

CAFETERIA POSITIONS
in large corporation for young women desiring opportunity for practical training to fit them for supervisory work; high school graduate preferred. G 7266 Times Downtown.

CANDY WRAPPERS wanted; light, sanitary factory; fine wages. Apply Room 216E, 30 Church St.

CASHIER AND BOOKKEEPER for needlework store; apply in own handwriting, stating details about previous occupations and age. A 988 Times Harlem.

CHAMBERMAIDS AND BATHROOM GIRLS; EXPERIENCE FOR HOTELS; MUST SLEEP IN.
APPLY
HOTEL ASSOCIATION,
(FROM 8:30 A. M. TO 5 P. M.)
44 EAST 29TH ST.
OPEN SUNDAYS.

CLERICAL.

EXPERIENCED CLERICAL WORKERS WANTED OVER 20 YEARS OLD; TO THOSE WHO QUALIFY WE OFFER A STEADY POSITION; HALF DAY SATURDAY. APPLY TO
BUTTERICK PUBLISHING COMPANY,
SPRING & MACDOUGAL STS.
TAKE 7TH AV. SUBWAY TO HOUSTON.

DRAPER wanted for dresses. Stein Bros., 53 East 8th St.

ENTRY CLERK and office assistant in wholesale cloak house; accurate and quick at figures and good handwriting essential; state salary. S. M., 115 Times.

GIRLS OVER 16 YEARS
FOR GENERAL WORK IN SUBSCRIPTION DEPARTMENT. APPLY TO
MISS CARLOCK,
326 HUDSON ST., (CORNER VAN DAM)
SECOND FLOOR.
TAKE 7TH AV. SUBWAY TO HOUSTON.

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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—East of the Mississippi River pressure is somewhat higher, with light local snows in Ohio Valley, the Lake region, New York, and New England, and with fair weather and higher temperatures in the South.

With the eastward movement of the Western disturbance, which is now central over Colorado, there will be rain Monday night or Tuesday in the South, rain in the Ohio Valley, turning to snow Tuesday, and snow in the upper Lake region, reaching the lower Lake region by Tuesday.

In the Middle Atlantic States and New England fair weather Monday will be followed by increasing cloudiness Tuesday.

It will be cooler Monday night in the north upper Lake region and colder Tuesday in the upper Lake region generally, reaching the lower Lake region during Tuesday night.

WINDS FOR MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

North and Middle Atlantic, moderate west, becoming variable; fair.

FORECAST TODAY AND TUESDAY.

New Jersey, Eastern New York, Southern New England, and Eastern Pennsylvania—Fair Monday. Tuesday increasing cloudiness.

Western New York—Cloudy Monday. Snow Tuesday or Tuesday night.

Northern New England—Fair Monday. Tuesday increasing cloudiness, slightly warmer on the coast.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1917.	1918.		1917.	1918.
3 A. M.	7	25	4 P. M.	3	34
6 A. M.	2	25	6 P. M.	1	31
9 A. M.	0	25	9 P. M.	-3	30
12 M.	0	31	11 P. M.	-6	29

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 30; for the corresponding date last year it was 1; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 32.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 23; at 8 P. M. it was 31. Maximum temperature, 36 degrees at 1:30 P. M.; minimum, 23 degrees at 8 A. M. Humidity, 59 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 59 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.92 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 30.04 inches.

Fire Record.

A. M.	Loss.
6:15—720 10 Av.; E. Lefowitz	Slight
8:50—103 E. 24 St.; G. Saltzseider	Slight
9:10—910 8 Av.; A. Wiggins	Not given
10:40—6 Fulton Market; Burnett & Kenney	Not given
10:45—330 E. 100 St.; S. Blinzer	None
11:00—Eastern Boulevard & Baychester Av., Bronx, (auto;) B. Behr	$700
P. M.	
12:15—1,510 1 Av.; W. Connolly	Not given
12:50—1,762 3 Av.; H. Alfeno	Not given
1:35—1,735 Washington Av., Bronx; M. Supet	Slight
2:00—188 Henry St.; L. Rosenberg	Slight
4:25—157 Stanton St.; D. Shapiro	Slight
4:45—1,221 River Av., Bronx; J. Dacrach	Slight
6:15—41-43 Warren St.; Drug Specialty Co.	Not given
7:15—632 E. 12 St.; not given	Slight
7:20—1,641 1 Av.; Clara Effler	Slight
7:45—161 St. & Gerard Av.; J. Kunty	Slight
8:15—25 W. 133 St.; Mary Caboen	Slight
10:25—131 Thompson St.; P. Calento	Slight
11:25—15 Dutch St.; P. Whiting	Slight

Transpacific Mails.

Connecting Mails close at G. P. O. and City Hall Stations at 5:30 P. M. daily.

Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Tenyo Maru	Dec. 30
Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—U. S. Transport	Jan. 1
Tahiti, Marquesas, Cook Islands, New Zealand, and specially addressed mail for Australia, (via San Francisco)—SS Paloona	Jan. 1
Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—SS Suwa Maru	Jan. 4
Fiji Islands, New Zealand, and Australia, (via Vancouver, B. C.,)—Makura	Jan. 16

Hawaii, Guam, Japan, Korea, China, Siam, Cochin China, Straits Settlements, and Netherlands East Indies, close at 5:30 P. M. daily. This mail is forwarded to the Pacific Coast daily for dispatch to destination by the best opportunity.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

Miniature Almanac for Today.

[By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.]

Sun rises........7:24 | Sun sets.........4:41

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	5:19	5:45	11:55	11:48
Governors Island	5:57	6:21	..	12:32
Hell Gate	7:41	8:22	2:01	2:42

Arrived—Sunday, Dec. 29.

SS Cartago, Bordeaux, Dec. 16.
SS Sixaola, Bordeaux, Dec. 15.
SS Anchises, Liverpool, Dec. 19.
SS Byron, Liverpool, Dec. 15.
SS Hogland, Gothenburg, Dec. 5.
SS Winterswyk, Azores, Dec. 16.
SS Walton Hall, Liverpool, Dec. 15.
SS Sherman, Colon, Dec. 21.
SS Paris, Havana, Dec. 23.
SS Lake Galera, Caibarien, Dec. 23.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TODAY.		
Mauretania	Brest	Dec. 24
Bavaria	Bordeaux	Dec. 16
Collingham	Havre	Dec. 10
Wallace	Havre	Dec. 10
Moccasin	Brest	Dec. 15
Tjisondari	Brest	Dec. 18
Samland	Brest	Dec. 18
Terante	Brest	Dec. 18
United States	Copenhagen	Dec. 18
DUE TOMORROW.		
Espagne	Bordeaux	Dec. 22
Ericksholm	Shields	Dec. 20
DUE WEDNESDAY.		
Carmania	Liverpool	Dec. 22
Hans Maersk	Gibraltar	Dec. 17

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TODAY.		
Baltic, Liverpool	7:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Hypatia, Port Natal	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Tunica, Azores	8:00 AM.	12:00 M.
Keresan, Buenos Aires	10:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
SAIL TOMORROW.		
Leviathan, Brest	———	4:00 P.M.
Cedric, Liverpool	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Munindies, B'nos Aires	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
SAIL WEDNESDAY.		
Times, St. Thomas	10:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
SAIL THURSDAY.		
George Washington, (transport,) Brest	———	12:00 M.
Clan MacMaster, Cape Town	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Westerdijk, Santos	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Manchioneal, Colon	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
SAIL FRIDAY.		
City of Benares, St. Lucia	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Vulcanus, Paramaribo	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Matura, Grenada	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Zulia, Porto Rico	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Pawnee, Barbados	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Nicholas Cuneo, Kingston	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
SAIL SATURDAY.		
Mauretania, Liverpool	8:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
France, Bordeaux	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Korona, Barbados	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Esparta, Port Limon	9:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Lake Belnona, Porto Rico	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
George Washington, (Nor.,) Buenos Aires	12:00 M.	3:00 P.M.
Hilarius, Buenos Aires	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.

Transatlantic Parcel Post Mails.

Great Britain and Ireland—Close at 10 A. M. Dec. 31, SS Cedric, and at 7 A. M. Jan. 4, SS Carmania.

France—Close at 7:30 A. M. Jan. 4, SS France, and at 7:30 A. M. Jan. 7, SS Niagara.

Italy and Gibraltar—Close at 7:30 A. M. Dec. 30, SS Tunica, and at 9:30 A. M. Jan. 11, SS San Giorgio.

Portugal—Close at 9 A. M. Dec. 31, SS Dondo, and at 9 A. M. Jan. 10, SS Goa.

Azores Islands—Close at 7:30 A. M. Dec. 30, SS Tunica.

Liberia, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Belgium, Netherlands, Greece, Germany, Austria, and Hungary—Service suspended.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS San Rossore, at Genoa, Dec. 17.
SS Gulfoss, at Reykjavik, Dec. 24.
SS Borneo, at Falmouth, Dec. 28.
SS Rhesus, at Plymouth, Dec. 28.

Sailed.

SS Sydfield, from Shields, Dec. 27.
SS Westboro, from St. Michael, Dec. 25.

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UNTERMYER TELLS OF HIS CALL ON EDITOR

Says He Went to The World Office to Balk the British Secret Service.

WANTED TO PREVENT WAR

Germany's Representative Urged Him to Stop Publication of Stolen Papers.

Samuel Untermyer has had printed a revised and corrected copy of the statement that he read before the Senate Committee which is investigating propaganda, and before which Mr. Untermyer appeared as a voluntary witness on Dec. 17. Mr. Untermyer's appearance before the committee, of which Senator Overman is the Chairman, followed the reading into the record of the committee of a letter which Mr. Untermyer wrote to Dr. Heinrich F. Albert, the Commercial Attaché of the German Embassy, in February, 1916, in which Mr. Untermyer offered Dr. Albert an opportunity to become a party to negotiations which the lawyer was then conducting for the purchase of The New York Sun.

Mr. Untermyer's revised statement includes a reference by him to a visit he made to Frank I. Cobb, the editor of The World, regarding the so-called Albert papers which The World printed in August, 1915. Major Humes, in his cross-examination of Mr. Untermyer, asked him if he did not try to stop the publication of those papers. At that time Mr. Untermyer testified that he did not recollect having made such a request, but subsequently stated that, after refreshing his memory, he remembered having called on Mr. Cobb.

In a note which accompanies the revised statement Mr. Untermyer says that "in order to correct the hopelessly incomplete, and for that reason grossly misleading, press reports of my 'statement' before the Senate Committee in so-called 'propaganda,' I am taking the liberty herewith of handing you a copy of the statement, which, so that it shall be complete, has been revised and corrected by me, including the topics that were the subject of the cross-examination."

For the most part the revised statement corresponds with the statement read before the Overman committee by Mr. Untermyer, and with the letter which Mr. Untermyer subsequently wrote to Senator Overman and which was also made a part of the record. Leading up to his reference to the visit to Mr. Cobb, Mr. Untermyer, in his revised statement, says that he was "always solicitous, as were all of us, that a conflict be avoided, and tried to do my humble part in my infrequent meetings with members of the German Embassy toward preserving the peace by making them feel that our hands were not turned against them, although I always insisted with them and they knew that I felt deeply that they were in the wrong."

"It was in this spirit and solely in the best interests of my own country," Mr. Untermyer continues "that I acted in August, 1915, when Dr. Albert reported to me that his portfolio had been stolen through the agency of the British Secret Service operating here. He reminded me that there were delicate diplomatic negotiations then under way between the two countries looking to the cessation of submarine warfare, against which our country had been protesting, following the sinking of the Lusitania, that there were also pending negotiations between our country and Great Britain arising out of the then existing controversy over the blockade and the search and seizure of our ships, and he urged that all these negotiations would be seriously handicapped by the operations of the British Secret Service against Germany's diplomatic representatives in this country and by unduly inflaming and prejudicing the public mind against Germany at that particular crisis."

Mr. Untermyer adds that the publication of the Albert papers was a part of the British propaganda "to foment trouble and thus prejudice the negotiations with Germany." Dr. Albert also claimed, Mr. Untermyer says, that it was unnutral on the part of the United States to permit "the British Secret Service to tap the telephone wires, intercept the mails, and steal the papers of Ambassadors and members of the embassies of the friendly powers, as was being done with the German and Austrian Embassies." Dr. Albert also said, Mr. Untermyer points out, that Germany and Austria could not fail to be "greatly incensed at the discovery that such acts were being tolerated, and especially at so critical a time."

"He appealed to me," Mr. Untermyer continues, "as a patriotic American interested in the maintenance of peace between the two countries to represent the whole situation to The New York World, into whose hands these stolen papers had been placed, and which threatened to publish the story."

Mr. Untermyer adds that he was "thoroughly alarmed at the situation" and the possible effect on pending negotiations, and that, at Dr. Albert's solicitation, he saw Mr. Cobb and conveyed to him "Dr. Albert's point of view." In doing so he states that he felt he was rendering a patriotic service to this country. Referring to the statement that Dr. Albert sent to the newspapers at the time of the publication of his papers, Mr. Untermyer says that he recollects helping Dr. Albert put that statement into shape, and that he was actuated by the same motives as had prompted him to call on Mr. Cobb.

"I knew, of course, nothing about the facts," Mr. Untermyer continues, "contained in Dr. Albert's statement, but from the manifestly delicate state of the negotiations and in the light of what I then knew. I would be glad and proud to repeat the effort to suppress the publication at that particular time if the opportunity came my way. I was the more willing to assist in such an effort because of my knowledge that Dr. Albert as well as Count von Bernstorff were opposed to the submarine warfare against which our country was protesting and were then doing everything in their power to persuade their country to discontinue it. This fact has since unexpectedly come to the public knowledge through a letter found among the seized papers of Captain von Papen, from Dr. Albert to Von Papen, dated Nov. 16, 1916 (which has been introduced into your proceedings,) in which Albert not only fully outlines his position and predicts that if the submarine warfare be continued it would cause war, but urges that it be restrained within the limits demanded by this country."

In conclusion the revised statement in a reference to all the matters which Mr. Untermyer's complete statement covers, reads:

"My difficulty in dealing with this situation has been the unformed, unsubstantial character of the slurs that have been vaguely suggested. No single concrete fact is asserted. It all rests in innuendo. There is nothing to answer and yet an atmosphere is sought to be created which one feels bound to dispel, because of the state of the public mind at the moment. It is ordinarily an easy matter for the fanatic or vicious-minded, prompted by political or other unworthy secret motives, gifted only with the 'rare' quality of hindsight, years after the event and in the light of subsequent happenings, to select from a long series of innocent and even patriotic activities a few isolated incidents, in themselves trivial, and by segregating them from the general subject-matter, so to distort their meaning and relation as to give to them a significance and construction contrary to that which they can be made to bear when viewed in connection with their context.

"That is precisely what has been attempted here by what I have characterized as these few foolish scraps of hearsay gossip and innuendo, but even that has failed. When you consider my constant public activities covering this period of two years and eight months before we entered the war, all in support of the Administration policies, and that this rubbish is spread over that entire period, it is surprising that out of this mountain of vague scandal, innuendo and falsehood, these would-be character killers have not even succeeded in bringing forth so much as a little mouse in the nature of the charge or assertion of a single suspicious or questionable act.

"And yet this lengthy explanation was necessary to my own peace of mind. It may be true, as my friends assure me, that I have been hypersensitive and should not have dignified this gossip by asking for a hearing or by paying any attention to it, but I have preferred to take the position that an implied hint or an imputation upon one's loyalty, however baseless or irresponsible, should not be lightly cast aside."

The Senate committee's investigation of propaganda, it was said yesterday, will be resumed next Monday.

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WETS EAGER FOR ROOSEVELT'S VIEWS

Brewers' Counsel Says Anderson's Letter Is "Gratuitous Insult to the Legislature."

FAVORS STATE REFERENDUM

Pastors Urge Congregations to Work for the Passage of Prohibition Amendment.

In a statement commenting upon the letter written to Colonel Roosevelt by William H. Anderson, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, urging him to exert his influence in the Republican Party for a "square deal" for the national prohibition amendment when it comes up in the State Legislature for ratification, William H. Hirst, counsel for the New York State Brewers' Association, said yesterday it was most desirable that Mr. Roosevelt give his views upon all angles of the discussion. He expressed the opinion that Mr. Roosevelt's comment would not be favorable to the program of the Anti-Saloon League.

"Mr. Anderson's call upon Colonel Roosevelt to use his influence for a square deal for the ratification of the national prohibition amendment is preposterous and disingenuous and a gratuitous insult to the Legislature," said Mr. Hirst. "What Mr. Anderson really asks Mr. Roosevelt to do is not to let the people of the State vote on the question before the Legislature acts. Mr. Roosevelt's admirers would be astounded to find him a party to such a scheme. That would, indeed, be denying the people a 'square deal.'

"Mr. Anderson's reference to Ohio is unfortunate for him, but timely and quite in point. The Constitution of Ohio has just been amended to prevent the Legislature from ratifying an amendment to the Federal Constitution until the people have expressed their will by referendum. It is a good precedent for New York to follow

"I wish Mr. Roosevelt would express himself concerning the national prohibition amendment, whatever may be his views on the intrinsic merit of prohibition. I am confident that he would not write it into the fundamental law of the land by an amendment which was not submitted to the States by the required two-thirds vote of each House of Congress and which contains a mischievous and illegal division of authority between the Federal Government and the States in the matter of enforcement and leaves a loophole for hypocritical and dishonest evasion.

"I am sure Colonel Roosevelt is not in favor of inserting a local police ordinance in the Federal Constitution and thereby depriving the States forever of the right to regulate the habits and customs of their own people. He would not put thirty-six States of 95,000,000 people at the mercy of 5,000,000 people in the event of a change of mind as to the expediency and desirability of absolute prohibition. I doubt very much whether Colonel Roosevelt approves such a mutilation of the Federal system which might sow the seeds of dissension and put such a strain upon the union of the States as to bring about its disintegration.

"By all means let Colonel Roosevelt speak out and concentrate the minds of the people upon the fallacy, folly, futility, tyranny, and danger of the national prohibition amendment."

The Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell, President of the Anti-Saloon League, yesterday urged the members of his congregation of the Marble Collegiate Church, in Fifth Avenue at Twenty-ninth Street, to exert their influence for a favorable vote in the ratification of the amendment. Similar sermons were delivered by the Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton in Calvary Baptist Church; the Rev. Dr. William H. Morgan in the Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church, and by many other members of the Anti-Saloon League.

"An effort is being made by the dry leaders to make ratification a Republican Party measure and to secure a joint caucus of the Republican members of both houses," said a notice sent out yesterday by the publicity department of the Anti-Saloon League. "These same leaders are not concerning themselves with the Democratic Party as a whole, which they regard as pledged to the liquor interests and dominated by the Tammany organization, though they believe there will be surprises in store for those who depend on all Democrats to vote against prohibition."

FAMILY ODDLY STRICKEN.

Baby Found Dead in Crib, Parents Unconscious Near By.

Some visitors went to call upon Mr. and Mrs. Elmore McIneroy, at 43 Fulton Avenue, Astoria, yesterday. They could get no answer to repeated rings and on inquiry among neighbors were told that no member of the family had been seen during the day. While on the porch they heard groans and notified the police.

When the door was forced, McIneroy and his wife were found unconscious in bed and beside them in a crib was Elmore, their five-year-old son. An ambulance surgeon found the baby was dead, but said there was hope for the parents. They were taken to St. John's Hospital.

The doctors are still uncertain as to what afflicted the family and killed the baby. There was an oil lamp burning in their room and this may have consumed the oxygen in the air or they may have been poisoned by ptomaines. During a conscious moment in the hospital McIneroy was asked what they had eaten the night before. He replied, "lamb chops," and this was all they could learn from him. McIneroy is 24 years old and is an engineer in an airplane factory in College Point.

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